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CHARLES D. ROWE.
Witness—T. E. Sessions.
...antation, July 15, 1890. 29-31*

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NORWAY AND VICINITY.

Henry Hobbs had a shock Wednesday.

Gents night shirts at T. L. Webb's Blue Store.

L. Ellen Frost is making some repairs on her residence on Bridge Street.

The U. S. & J. Co. have a new ad. this week. Read it and be benefited thereby.

Mrs. M. A. Holden has gone to Old Orchard for her annual summer outing.

Union Chapter and Oxford Council have adjourned until September.

A new stock of Palmer's perfumes at Stone's drug store.

Henry T. French is to return to Stone's drug store as clerk the first of next month.

George W. Hobbs and family are living at their farm on Pike's Hill for a few weeks.

Mrs. F. R. Bennett and daughter of Portland visited at J. C. Bennett's this week.

Straw hats, stiff and soft summer hats at cost for a short time to close at F. H. Noyes' clothing store.

A. F. Andrews had some horses come from Canada last Wednesday. They were nice looking animals.

Master Carl Mixer is visiting his grandfather Pride in East Waterford for a few weeks.

Mrs. H. W. Greene and her sister have picked and canned 40 qts. of raspberries the past week.

Mrs. John D. Beal is repairing her house on Paris St. and it will be ready to rent next week.

There will be a special meeting of Harry Rust Post, G. A. R., Friday eve, Aug. 1st. Important business to be transacted.

Mrs. Fred Lovejoy and daughter are visiting Mrs. Lovejoy's sister, Mrs. Lewis Frink, at Bartlett, N. H.

C. O. Saunders of Everett, Mass., formerly of Norway visited in town the past week. Mr. Saunders is a real estate broker.

F. H. Noyes, the clothier, is closing out his summer stock of ready made clothing at extreme low prices. Call and look at the goods and get prices.

Men drink good, bad and indifferent liquor, and never grumble about the price of it, but they growl when their wives don't economize by using Brussels soap.

Stated Communication of Oxford Lodge, No. 18, F. and A. M., Monday evening, July 28th for work on the third degree.

Remember the K. of P. excursion Saturday to Portland. Fare only $1.00. Those wishing to go to the Islands, fare from Portland and return 25 cents.

Grace Nevers has opened a confectionery store on Main Street in the building formerly occupied by Norman Buck as a grocery store. Miss Nevers has a neatly arranged and well filled store.

Ball game on the Fair Grounds next Saturday. The Oxfords vs. Murphy Balsams. Game called at 3:30 p. m. Admission 25 cents; ladies 15 cents; teams free.

Hon. Charles Walker, ex-Mayor of Lewiston is visiting friends in this vicinity. He spent a part of the day Tuesday on Lake Pennessewassee in the steamer Henrietta.

G. W. Wagg and M. C. Percival of Auburn were in town Saturday and visited the Norway Granite Quarry. These gentlemen are interested in the pink granite quarry at North Conway, N. H.

Warren Hills, of Union, accompanied by his brother, Ward W. Hills of South Dakota, visited his son, V. W. Hills, this week. Ward W. Hills left this State forty-four years ago.

Another case of typhoid fever is reported in the village, Chas. Wentworth, a young man who works in the shoe factory. He boards with his brother. Enoch Wentworth, who lives over Bennett's meat market on Main St.

S. H. Howe of Grinnell, Iowa, is visiting in town. Mr. Howe is a native of Sumner, and was engaged in trade in Norway several years. His wife is visiting her parents at Portland. They went to Iowa to live about ten years ago.

A number of people in Maine have been bitten recently by mad dogs. In many places the dogs have been muzzled or killed. Would it not be better to take a little unnecessary precaution in this vicinity.

In consequence of the large sales we are having on our best black tea, we shall not rise on the price. Try ¼ pound and you will have no other. There are no other dealers handling this choice brand of tea.—U. S. & J. Co.

In the Norway Municipal Court Thursday evening of last week J. R. Frye of Oxford was arraigned and pleaded guilty to setting fire to his mill. He was bound over to the Supreme Judicial Court, bail being fixed at $2,000. He was unable to do this, and was committed to jail.

A Loyal Temperance Legion has been organized among the children and youth. Their motto is "Tremble King Alcohol, we shall grow up." Efficient teachers will be procured. It is earnestly hoped the citizens will be interested in saving the children and youth of our village. Officers and committees appointed from the Legion.

"I got nine trout over the river Saturday" said James Shedd. "Some of them are good ones, I tell you. It was the first time I've been over there this season. The water is awful low. Maybe there are more trout there. There are usually some trout in the river for me every season." We presume Mr. Shedd refers to Crooked river.

The school in district No. 10, taught by Sadie Millett, closed July 18 after a term of ten weeks. The following are the names of the pupils not absent one-half day nor tardy during the term: Gertie Millett, Bennie Millett, Emma Millett, Charlie Bean, Ollie Bean, Hattie Millett and Willie Millett. Willie and Hattie are four and five years old.

Joseph B. Kavanaugh, formerly of the Advertiser office is foreman of the Radford Enterprise, at Radford, Virginia. He has been foreman of the Dedham, Mass., "Standard" for several years. This is a good showing when we consider that he is now only about 23 years of age. The Standard says of him, "He has had a long experience in the business and has much skill and taste in executing fine and artistic printing."

The neighbors and friends of Mason Frost assembled at his residence at Frost Hill last Saturday evening. There were fifty-eight persons present to enjoy the hospitality of the Frost mansion. Improvised orchestral music was furnished by John Frank, the man who talks like many other men and can imitate the Norway fish man to perfection, and many participated in the dance. Ice cream and cake were served and a good time was enjoyed by all.

The Utica Saturday Globe publishes the following together with his portrait of a former resident of this town and a member of the firm of Merrill & Freeman: Clarence B. Merrill, who was elected assistant on the Board of Fire Engineers, at Manchester N. H., recently, was born in Norway in 1852. Ten years ago he went to Manchester, having previous to that time, lived and worked on a farm. On going there he went into the grain business, which he has since carried on. Four years ago he joined the Fire Department, and in the intervening years nobly fought the flames in many a fire with the boys of Merrimack Hose and Steamer 3. Of the latter company he has been foreman since becoming connected with it. Mr. Merrill is a gentleman in every sense that the word implies and has host of friends. His success as an engineer is almost assured.

The game of base ball, Oxfords vs. Presumpscotts, on the Fair Grounds Saturday resulted in a victory for the Oxfords. Notwithstanding the rain there was quite a crowd to witness the game.

OXFORD.

	AB	R	1B	TB	PO	A	E
Dooley, ss	5	3	4	3	1	3	0
Kearns, cf	5	1	3	5	1	0	0
Glover, 2b	5	0	0	0	1	2	2
McMannus, 1b	4	1	1	1	9	0	0
Thayer, c	4	1	0	0	11	2	0
Ladd, p	4	1	1	1	1	12	1
Kavanaugh, rf	4	1	3	3	0	0	0
Edwards, lf	4	2	2	4	0	0	1
Fallon, 3b	4	1	0	0	3	4	1
	39	12	15	17	27	23	5

PRESUMPSCOTS.

	AB	R	1B	TB	PO	A	E
Harmon, 2b	6	1	1	1	2	1	1
Batchelder, p	5	0	1	1	1	9	1
Burrell, ss	2	0	0	0	1	3	0
Files, lf	4	0	0	0	1	0	0
Gilman, 3b	3	0	0	0	5	1	1
Smith, cf	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Clark, rf	1	2	0	0	1	1	0
Elkins, c	2	1	0	0	10	1	1
Morton, 1b	4	0	2	8	6	1	1
	31	5	4	5	27	17	5

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Oxfords	1	0	0	0	7	1	0	2	0	11
Presumscots	0	1	1	1	0	0	2	0	0	5

Two base hits, Kearns 2, Edwards 1, Morton 1; stolen bases, Oxfords 6, Presumpscots 4; base on balls, Ladd 7, Bachelder 3; hit by pitched ball, McManus, Edwards. Burrell; struck out, by Ladd 10, by Bachelder 6; wild pitch, Bachelder. Time of game two hours. Umpires, Jones and Brown.

Summer hats closing out for less than cost at the Blue Store.

James P. Lown of Harrison has been appointed notary public.

Buy your gloves and other furnishings at the Blue Store.

Ex-Mayor Penley of Auburn has recently bought some Norway red granite.

All kinds of sporting goods at reduced prices at Stone's drug store.

Mrs. Keith wishes to sell her house on Beal Street. See ad.

Chas. O. Godwin of Lewiston was in town Wednesday.

D. B. Cummings is in Bartlett, N. H., on a visit to relatives and friends.

We may expect a fine game of base ball Saturday between the Oxfords and Murphy Balsams.

If cramp of the stomach results from eating green fruit, Brown's Instant Relief will be found a sure cure.

A little child of Frank Cotton, who lives near the corn shop, died the first of the week, funeral Tuesday.

Leave your laundry work at F. H. Noyes' clothing store. He is agent for the best laundry in the State.

Wm. C. Leavitt proposes to take a vacation next week. He will visit friends at Colebrook, N. H.

The next paper will contain the opening chapters of the new serial story. You should read it.

E. H. Brown, esq., has some six houses to plaster; at any rate he is to do some plastering in six houses.

Your absent friends should read the Advertiser. Why not subscribe and send the paper to them regular?

Judge C. F. Whitman is not able to be at his place of business this week. We understand he is confined to the house with a trouble of the eyes.

W. L. Packard says he has a Plymouth Rock hen that beats 'em all for small eggs. The egg wasn't much bigger than a lima bean.

T. L. Webb's Blue Store is closing out summer goods regardless of cost. Be sure and call and get prices. See new adv.

Mrs. Charles Woodbury of Somerville, Mass., is visiting in town. She will spend the week with Mrs. W. O. Morse at the cottage by Lake Pennesseewassee

Call on Grace Nevers for cucumbers, watermelons, fruit, confectionary, cigars, tobacco also 5 and 10 cent goods and glass ware.

Some $1,100 has already been subscribed to go towards paying the Universalist church debt. Several of the members of the society pay $100 each.

Mrs. A. L. Deering of Biddeford, who will be remembered as at one time telegraph operator here is at present at work at the shoe factory. Her daughter, Elsie is also here with her.

During the busy season the U. S. & J. Co. will open their store at 5 a. m. and keep it open till 10 p. m. for the accommodation of those who are busy and can't attend through the day. Sundays excepted from 8 to 11 a. m.

If you exchange papers with your neighbor just glance at the address label of the paper you borrow and see whether it is in arrears or otherwise. Of course you have no right to lend the Advertiser unless it is paid for in advance and there will be no occasion to caution you in this matter.

Otho Bean has decided not to go West and grow up with the country but to remain in Maine. He has engaged to go to Portland to work for the Standard Clothing Co. of that city the first of September. He will remain with F. H. Noyes & Co. until that time.

Andrew J. Moore is calling on his farmer and stock raising friends showing them the American Farmers' Pictorial Cyclopedia of Live Stock. It has the appearance of a good book and is the work of the best veterinaries in the country. It is sold at a reasonable price. The book cannot fail to be of value to stock raisers.

Miss Slemons, the telephone and telegraph operator has no apprentice at present. Miss Bell Jackson, who worked at the office some time and became considerable proficient has turned school marm and Lizzie Muzzy, of Deering, thinks there is more money in doing table work at the Beals House and therefore she has quit learning telegraphy.

The Merchants game of base ball on the Fair Grounds last Saturday was well attended. The South Paris merchants had a walk over and scored 20 runs to the Norway Merchantile men's 4. Jack Moore and Mr. Fogg were umpires. The Norway merchantile nine consisted of P. H. Nevers, Allie Cook, John S. French, Lee Smith, Jim True, Leroy Nichols, Eugene Rowe, Fred Crockett and C. S. Akers. So. Paris, Ernest Record, Fletcher, the barber, Emerly, F. T. Additon, C. W. Bowker, Frank Jackson, Cushman, Davis and F. A. Shurtleff.

Pierce Dist. No. 14.—Harry Greenleaf was the first to finish haying in this vicinity. He had the good luck of harvesting his hay without its getting wet.

Bertha Morse recently made her sister, Mrs. Abbott, a visit. Her niece, Eunice Abbott, accompanied her to her home in Upton to stay till after haying.

George Abbott is at Norway Lake helping David Brooks in his haying.

We understand that Willie Dunn dined on new potatoes of his own raising somewhere about July 12. What little boy can beat that?

Our school closed July 2d with a picnic the 4th. On account of rain the picnic was not held in Harry Greenleaf's grove as intended but all repaired through a kindly invitation to Edwin Dunn's, finding everything in perfect readiness for an agreeable and pleasant time for all. The fantastics appearing at 11:30 produced much merriment among old and young. Dinner was served at 12 o'clock. The tables were bountifully supplied and very neatly and tastefully arranged by the good ladies of the district. After dinner about two hours were spent in listening to the entertainment so faithfully prepared by the teacher and scholars in the form of dialogues, recitations and declamations. Music, vocal and instrumental, assisted in making this entertainment one of the best. About 85 were present and many spoke volumes of praise for the pupils of our school. Number of scholars attending school this summer 13, average attendance 12. Names of scholars not absent one day during term as follows: Eunice Abbott, Calvin Abbott, Ethel Abbott, Mertie Herrick, Susie Merrill, Cleo Merrill and Rosie Dunn. Josie Merrill, Edith Pierce and Willie Dunn missed one day only. Little Ardie Merrill, three years old, missed only three days. Nina F. Brooks, Pike Hill, teacher.

SOUTH PARIS.

Fare to Portland and return on the K. of P. excursion Saturday $1.00.

At South Paris of consumption, July 18, Mary J. wife Wallace Berce and youngest daughter of Thomas and Margaret Currie of St. John, N. B., aged 21 years 7 months and 18 days.

Oxfords vs. Murphy Balsams on the Fair Grounds, Saturday. Game called at 3:30 p. m. Admission 25 cents, ladies 15 cents, teams free.

Effie Trump of Minneapolis is visiting at Mrs. O. W. Bent's.

John Whitman is having a large bay window put on his house. Mr. Blood is doing the work.

Hon. Alva Shurtleff and wife spent a week at Old Orchard.

N. Mason has sold out his livery teams.

The Grand Army men are making arrangements for the National Encampment.

A party of fourteen of our young people visited Albany Basins last week.

Mr. Howland's family with several guests from Boston are spending the summer at their country home, the Mountain View Farm.

Ex-postmaster Frothingham has had a large sale of his celebrated Buckeye mowers.

J. H. Stuart is erecting a summer-house.

Mrs. J. A. Kenney has spent two weeks with friends in Yarmouth and Deering.

Dr. J. W. Davis and wife have been at the Lakes the past week.

Mont Hollis was thrown from a mowing machine and badly injured.

Pennessewassee Lodge, K. of P., have an excursion to the Islands next Saturday. All are invited. There are several members of this order in our village.

WEST PARIS.

It is F. E. Dunham instead of Tom Flavin that is captain of the base ball nine.

Fine weather for haying and farmers are improving it.

A lively scrimmage occurred about two miles from this place Wednesday evening, July 16. Greenfield Whitman, a well-to-do and a respectable farmer, when about retiring to bed was shot at by some unknown person outside of his house, which undoubtedly was mischievously intended. Thursday evening another outrage was committed at Whitman's by some unknown person breaking his windows in the night time and commiting other deviltries. Mr. Whitman came to this place and telegraphed Detective Wormell of Bethel. Wormell came and decided it was the work of local roughs and returned home. Outrages continuing Mr. Whitman became frightened, came to this place and asked for assistance. A citizen taking a deep interest in the matter decided to assume the roll of a Pinkerton detective. Not being accustomed to the business, his ways and plans for catching the rascal became about as clumsy as the clerical cloak upon a sinner. Summoning a good posse of braves they put on the war paint and soon everything was in readiness for the seat of war. Top buggies were soon filled with the willing ones who were soon on the line of march to the scene of action. On their arrival the horses were put into the barns and the top buggies were left in the open yard in front of the house, and the posse retired to the house to wait for the burglars and would-be assassins. Twelve o'clock and no bad men had put in an appearance and still the patient watchers waited. Three o'clock came and no excitement and the company began to look like a funeral assemblage with the minister and mourners present. At this time the hero of this occasion began to conclude he had mistaken his calling and so disbanded his warriors and soon all were wending their way homeward after their own inclination. One remarked that the experience of the night was like hunting partridges with a brass band. During this little episode which was only laughable Detective Wormell was putting in good work and Monday night informed your correspondent that he had got the matter down to a certainty and legal steps would soon be instituted. Jno.

Tuell Town.—Mrs. David Dow and two children are stopping at her father's, Mr. Kingman Churchill's.

Lena Tuell is at home for a few days.

Carrie Emery and a friend from Boston are visiting her aunt, Mrs. John Butterfield.

Maggie Murch has gone to Sumner to visit her sister Mrs. A. A. Swift.

Mrs. Ella Andrews is in quite poor health.

WEST STONEHAM.

Ernest and Harold Gammon of South Paris are on a visit to their uncle, Wm. Gammon.

Virginia E. McAllister, who has been at work for George Holmes of Norway, is on a visit to this place.

Dana and Victor McAllister are now on the sick list.

Maud Sawyer was at home last Saturday.

Mrs. Anna Abbott and daughter, Georgia, of Jackson, N. H., are now on a visit to friends in this vicinity.

Walter McKeen has returned from Shelburne, N. H., where he has been at work the past winter.

Sulmore McKeen, who has been at work at Waterford haying, is now at home.

Abbie McAllister has returned to Norway, where she has been at work for Willis Palmer.

Elwood Sawyer is helping his father do his haying.

John Adams is now at home. He has been at work for Frank Barker of Fryeburg.

Land Conveyances.

J. F. Stanley, Register, Paris. Me.

EASTERN.

Bethel.—Tower of Bethel to E. S. Kilborn, $350; F. Barker to C. A. Barker, 150; A. M. Estes et al to L. C. Lary, 1.00.

Buckfield.C. C. Spaulding to A. Foster, $461.

Canton.—S. G. Kidder to M. A. Waite, $150.

Dixfield.—E. B. Gould et al to C. H. Mayhew, $275.

Franklin Pt.—I. C. Libby to G. W. Jordan, $200; G. W. Gordon to E. L. Tebbets, 125.

Greenwood.—A. C. Libby et al Tebbets M'f'g, $1.

Hartford.—R. O. Jordan to S. A. Sampson et al $500.

Mason.—Woodbury & Purington to S. O. Grover, $1,050.

Norway.—M. Abbott to N. Abbott, $1,800.

Oxford.—J. Frye to E. E. Frye, $1400.

Peru.—E. G. Austin to L. M. Brown, $150.

Waterford.—D. A. Kilgore to M. J. Kilgore, $200.

[Written for the Advertiser.]

Our State's Prison Regular.

Thomaston Me., July 20th, '90.

Dear Sir:—The gayeties of the Inn are now at their height, the shops and yard are thronged with visitors nearly every fair day. Among some of the recent visitors we noticed J. S. Hodgdon, editor of the Thomaston Herald, formerly of Oxford County. He was running a job printing office in Bethel at one time was once compositor in the Advertiser office, and for some time an employee in the Ledger office at Mechanic Falls.

There are now about 165 Rt. H. gentlemen stopping at the Inn, also five females.

The institution have finished haying in the enclosure. We should judge they cut about one ton of hay this season. Wages are good they pay twenty-five cents a month and board, fair weather and foul.

Several of the broom shop's crew took a three day's vacation last week, owing to the exhausted supply of corn though I dare say it was not very highly appreciated.

There does not seem to be anything very exciting going on, consequently I must curtail this letter for want of stock.

MAINE STATE HOTEL.

Many mortals here exist,
All their names are on the list,
Including men both old and young,
Nabobs and paupers herein are flung
Exiled for being too high strung.

Some are sullen, some are sad,
Think the place is very bad,
All are sure they've seen enough,
They pronounce it rather rough,
Even those who think they're tough.

How they shout when they escape,
Out of this allfired scrape,
Tell you what they don't stop long
Either for a lunch or song,
Let them out and they are gone.

BROWNFIELD.

The New England Shipbuilding Co. of Bath have just sent the last car of ship timber from this station,—making frames for eight vessels sent during the year, loading 34 cars in all. They will cut more in Brownfield in September and later in the season. The ship timber and ice product have made quite a business during the past winter.

D. D. Garner from Kezar Falls installed the officers of Pequawket Lodge, No. 46, I. O. O. F., last week as follows: J. W. Hubbard, M.; Chas. H. Bean, V. G.; J. L. Frink, R. S.; S. B. Bean, P. S.; S. Warren, T. Appointed officers, T. C. Walker and Jacob Colby, R. and L. Supporters; John Graffam, I. G.; J. H. Swan, O. G.; C. D. Fessenden, C.; E. E. Rounds, W.

The order of Golden Cross is about to institute a lodge in this village, and District Deputy McClair is here arranging for the same. They will meet in the hall over Eli B. Bean's store.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Warren and Eddie Warren of Portland arrived in town on Saturday last on a visit to Mrs. Samuel Warren.

Dr. Stephen M. Cobb of Muscatine, Ia., and his brother, Andrew Cobb of Limington, were in town Monday. Dr. Cobb has not been here before since 1853.

BETHEL.

Saturday, the fare to Portland and return on the K. of P. excursion is only $1.45.

Ernest Walker has sold one of his pair of fine black colts to parties in Portland.

The place to buy your confectionery, tobacco and cigars is at C. E. Benson & Co.'s. Also the finest line of canned goods in town. Remember the place opposite post-office, Bethel. *

Abbie M. Parkman from Massachusetts is boarding at the Alpine House and teaching music. She has fourteen pupils on the cornet and several piano pupils. She is a fine musician. There are also at this house several other artists, in fact this house is full.

We saw Monday morning several of Bethel's leading citizens flying kites on the Common, among which was a prominent physician, a Justice of the Supreme Bench and a leading social gentleman.

"A little nonsense now and then
Is relished by the best of men."

Ceylon Rowe has thrown aside his crutches, and is out on the streets with simply a cane.

L. N. Purington is going to raise his house up and put one story under it. He has an architect at work on a design and will attend to it at once. His family will live in Judge's Woodbury's house until his house is finished.

Mrs. Lindley saw a large deer at two different times last week near their house in Greenwood.

G. R. Wiley has renovated his drug store inside by painting and papering, giving it an elegant appearance. Even poisonous drugs can be better relished coming from so neat looking a store.

Pension days Monday, Wednesday and Saturday each week. It costs nothing for any information we can give. Room over Esq. Frye's office. *

Next Saturday J. G. Rich will be in Portland for one day.

Recent arrivals at the Bethel House: Miss E. H. Rines, Portland; Miss M. C. Budlong, New York; C. P. Stephens and wife, Mrs. M. E. Wilmarth, Malden; D. C. Longley, Cambridgeport; E. S. Osgood, W. K. Aston, H. Conkright, Miss A. Conkright, Miss Morrill, New York; Mrs. R. A. Chapman, Mrs. T. E. Twitchell, Robert Chapman, Portland; Frank L. Baker and wife, W. H. Paige, I. W. Donald, Boston; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Long, Mt. Vernon, N. Y.

Dr. Morton's niece, Mrs. Grace Jones Faunce, with her husband and two children and a nurse, are visiting at the doctor's. They leave for their home at Atlantic City, N. J., next Monday.

Dr. Morton and Mr. Faunce with Gerald Davis of Grafton as guide, visited Silver Stream, over in Success Township last week and had a fine time fishing. Trout were abundant and they cooked and ate until they were satisfied. Those Silver stream trout are the sweetest trout on earth, as Barnum would say. They met a man over in the wilderness who was hunting bears, who had lost his way. The doctor took him in and fed him and started him off in the right direction.

NORWAY LAKE.

S. A. Stevens built a furnace for Daniel Brett of Otisfield last week.

Amy R. Partridge of Portland and Nellie M. Partridge are visiting at the old homestead.

E. Durgin of Stoneham is haying for J. A. Roberts.

John Bartlett of South Boston is visiting at H. S. Perry's.

The steamer Pennesseewassee was well patronized last Sunday.

Mrs. E. E. Welch and daughter visited at postmaster L. I. Bartlett's last week.

The farmers are getting along nicely with their haying. Highland farms are more than an average, but low, wet farms are light.

E. F. Wood has helped W. W. Pride through haying and commenced for Merritt Frost on Tuesday.

G. B. Dunham was home from Auburn over Sunday.

John Frank showed us a bass the other day which weighed 3¾ lbs. and measured 20 inches in length and 5 inch in depth.

The work went right along on Crockett bridge Sunday. None of the party had any scruples about working that day but Muzzy Judkins.

C. W. Partridge was foreman of the party on raising the Crockett bridge.

Daniel Brett of Otisfield has two colts fourteen months old weighing respectively $62 and $64 lbs.

John B. Rand of North Waterford says that Rev. Miss Angell of Norway gave them a very able, progressive discourse last Sunday and all her hearers speak in her praise.

In one week from the time Crockett bridge was commenced on, teams were able to pass over. It is a good strong bridge and well done. Now let the Norwegians boom the steamer Pennesseewassee for all it is worth.

NORTH LOVELL.

Linnie Gammon is home from Haverhill, Mass., for a short time; will return soon to attend school.

C. G. Hill from Locke's Mills with his two children spent a few days here last week.

Benj. McKeen and M. Shattuck have had a beautiful monument erected on their lot in the cemetery here.

Clara Heald is at home from Fryeburg for the summer.

J. K. P. Vance goes to the mountains this week with Mr. Robertson of Kansas and Harry Andrews of Lawrence.

Frank Andrews has his steamer on the pond again. He has made some improvement since last year.

EAST BROWNFIELD.

The following pupils of the grammar school at the Centre were not absent a half day during the term of ten weeks: Jesse Rowe, Everett Grafton, Howard Wakefield, Freddie Warren, Everett Thurston, Edith Whitney and Vina Lane.

Mrs. Lake, of Lowell, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Gatchell.

The S. U. B. met with Addie Allard Saturday.

Our Chautauquans are preparing for their annual sojourn at Fryeburg. Mrs. Stickney, Mary Stickney, Misses Spring, Allard and Gatchell intend to occupy their cottage during the meetings.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fitch, of Sebago, were at James Hill's last week.

EAST WATERFORD.

D. A. Kilgore died at his home on Sunday July 20th, funeral at the house on Tuesday at one o'clock in the afternoon.

Mrs. A. A. Patterson has bought the McKenny place belonging to Winslow Bisbee and is having the hay cut.

Mrs. Annie Whitney is stopping at Pert Haskell's.

Johnnie and Ed Haskell have got home from Portland.

Abraham Norwood has gone to Biddeford on a visit to his mother and other friends.

Charles York is at work for Winslow Bisbee haying this year.

NORWAY CENTER.

Ella LaFarrier is stopping with Mrs. Hattie Foster.

Walter and Annie Hobbs from Boston and Lynn are spending their vacation here and at Stoneham with their brother Herbert.

Nelson Abbott and wife have moved from Stoneham to the Center and the young people gave them a serenade last Saturday evening, but as they were not invited "in" it was thought they might not be "at home" so Tuesday eve they came together again with at least part of the instruments of the Brass Band, but still they did not appear. Evidently they did not wish to interrupt such grand music or else the barking of the dogs alarmed the bride, which kept them from thanking the serenaders.

Our haymakers are getting along fast with their haying. The weather has been good since haying commenced, and in fact the ground is getting rather dry after so much rain all through May and June.

Abbie Bosworth is at work for Miss S. A. Holt.

We are glad to see Alvin Brown's mother at home again.

OXFORD.

About midnight of the 14th inst. our more or less honest citizens were startled by the alarm of fire. The fire proved to be in the old Clark & Whitney mill recently purchased by Joseph Frye. Fred Gammon seems to have been the first to see it. At that time a small blaze was running up the mill doors and just breaking through the roof of the low shed like piazza. This small blaze increased with remarkable rapidity and during the fifteen or twenty minutes it took the people to awake and reach the spot it had got beyond all control. James Chapman's mill just across the river was in great danger and the saving of this mill was the first thought of all. Pails were quickly gathered. Part got up on the roof, part on the shed and then the water was dipped up from the river and passed up. In this way the side of the mill nearest to the fire was kept well wet up. The heat soon became intense. The wet boards sent up small clouds of steam. It was so hot no one could live long in such a furnace heat. But as one rushed out nearly overcome with heat another took his place and the water was passed on and thrown where most needed. Human endurance could not stand it much longer. Just at this opportune moment the fire engine came. They had been very slow about getting it out because no one thought it was in working order. Fortunately one plunger worked all right and a fair stream was soon pouring upon the heated mill. The young men who held the hose rushed manfully into the hottest places and stood by their work until the danger was over. No one doubted but what the fire engine saved this valuable mill. Neither does any one doubt but what our property holders who have valuable property liable to burn at any moment ought to brace up and have this fire engine fixed up so it will be ready for business at any moment. The night was unusually calm. Not a puff of wind bent the lofty columns of flame and smoke. The scene was an imposing one at the time when the fire was at its highest point. The loss was from $3,000 to $4,000. Insurance $2,500. It afterwards turned out that Joseph Frye set fire to his mill himself owing to financial difficulties. As near as we can learn he piled a basket or two full of shavings up before the main doors and touched them off. Remaining near until the fire got sure headway he started for home, but was seen, tracked, arrested and confessed his guilt as told in last week's Advertiser.

Prescott Pike is not enjoying his usual vigorous health this summer.

The Oxfords have been challenged by the Lewistons for $100 and the gate receipts to play a series of games. The Oxfords will undoubtedly accept.

The popular Chadbourne House has been crowded with guests during the past week.

Daniel Whitehouse is quite lame from rheumatism.

George Hazen has been haying with a small crew at North Waterford.

The Robinsons have had every one they could hire at work on their large farms haying and have housed their crop in good condition.

The woolen factory not running last week has made everything quite dull here.

Frank Hayes and wife of Portland, and his son-in-law, Mr. Barney of Boston, are among the guests stopping for a week or two at the Chadbourne House.

J. K. Chase has just got up a life size portrait of James G. Blaine which New York artists say is the most life-like and artistic portrait that has ever been produced of that well-known statesman. It will be on exhibition at the post-office a few days.

The fare on the K. of P. excursion to Portland Saturday is only $1.00.

The base ball games opened at South Paris rather inauspiciously for the management as the rain kept a good many away. The Presumpscots who have posed as "champions of Maine" for several seasons got the worst end of the argument with the Oxfords, the crack team of Oxford County. Ladd proved unfathomable to his opponents and showed himself the best pitcher in Maine. Kearins, Edwards and Dooly put up a great batting game. McManus played an excellent first base. Thayer's catching was unexceptionably fine. Glover is evidently out of practice. Kavanough put up a good game. The Oxfords are the strongest team in Maine to-day. They play the Murphy Balsams at South Paris next Saturday at 3:30 p. m.

GILEAD.

Reported that blueberries are scarce this year.

Martin Smith is to cane chairs at his brother's, C. A. Smith's.

The question is "What is going to be done up Wild River?" S. D. Hobson of East Brighton, Vt., has purchased the territory, and rumor says is to build a railroad and mills in this vicinity soon.

$1.65 takes all who wish to go to Portland and return on the K. of P. excursion Saturday.

J. Decoteau with his crew are putting in a new fence along the line of the G. T. R. below the station.

A Sunday-school picnic at Mrs. D. C. Lary's this week.

J. W. Bennett has company from Manistee, Mich.

Fred Coffin is home on a vacation.

Henry Bean and D. Q. Bennett have gone up Wild River on a fishing trip.

OTISFIELD.

A town meeting is shortly to be called for the purpose of rescinding the vote of the last meeting whereby it was ordered to build a new road round Canada Hill, the water of the pond having lowered to the amount of some eighteen inches, leaving the highway which was submerged by one foot of water all dry and solid.

Geo. W. Peaco who has been at the Insane Hospital for some months is reported as much improved, and his ultimate recovery in all probability not far distant. Mrs. P. is working at Norway.

Rev. Caroline Angell's recent sermon at South Otisfield was highly commended by the entire audience.

There were four from this town that graduated at the Bridgton Academy last week, three young ladies and one gentleman, Hattie Hancock, Gracie Spurr, Eva Turner and Harry Spurr.

Edith, little daughter of C. F. Hancock, only 12 years old, raked five acres of hay one day last week, with her father's horse. She is one of our smart little girls.

School closed in the Swamp district Friday, taught by Hattie Sawyer. It was a very profitable term indeed as she is an experienced teacher.

Henry Ward of Harrison lost a valuable horse last week.

James Small fell from a load of hay recently and hurt his ankle quite badly.

Charles F. Hancock has gone to Boston for two weeks.

Fred Haskell and family of Boston are visiting at C. F. Hancock's.

Isabelle Morey has gone to Norway to work in the Beal's Hotel. Alice.

ANDOVER.

The large steamer on the lakes was burned to the ground a few days since. The loss is $3000.

Rev. A. K. Bryant preached at the M. E. church Sunday, July 13th. He is a young preacher but one of marked ability.

The ladies of the M. E. society held an ice cream festival at the town hall Wednesday eve, July 16. Nearly $20 was realized.

Frank Thomas has gone to the lakes.

A Sabbath School is to be started at North Andover next Sunday Afternoon.

I. P. Whitney and family have arrived at Andover and are now stopping at their cottage at the lakes.

Stephen Cabot has finished haying, July 15.

M. F. Corson dined on potatoes raised in his garden this year.

A. W. Thomas and L. M. Hervey had a day's sport fishing last Saturday and when they returned Saturday night every one who saw them judged they must have had all the sport they could have asked. The result of the day's fishing was 31½ lbs. of trout apiece, or 63 lbs. in all. This kind of fishing is good enough for any one. The trout averaged from ¼ to 1½ lbs. This is the way you find them up to Andover—if you only know where they are.

H. C. Percival is out from the lakes on a visit.

F. W. Bodwell is so much improved as to be able to ride out.

Useful Present in every package Savena, the best Washing Powder. Sold by grocers.

FRYEBURG.

The Fryeburg House is doing quite a large business. They have quite a number of boarders already. Mrs. Pettingill and three children and Annie Pettengill of Melrose, Mass., Phil Perry from Boston, Mass., are among those that are there now.

Mr. Watson from Mass. and Mr. Woodcock of Harvard Medical School are boarding at Miss Page's.

Grace Mark of New York is visiting her uncle, F. L. Mark, on Smith St.

Mrs. Walcott and family from New Jersey are boarding at Mrs. Pike's.

Mrs. John Locke and children from Portland are visiting at her father's.

Alice Locke has returned from Freeport where she has been visiting.

Mr. Ford from New York is visiting his family at Mrs. Page's Cottage.

R. Williams from New York has come to Mrs. J. C. Howe's where his wife is spending the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Dustin and grandchild of Conn. are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glines on Main St.

We are glad that some of our young men have found something to take up their time. It is fun to play lawn tennis so they say.

Mr. Sawyer and family have returned home from a visit at North Conway.

Mrs. Will Locke and children are boarding at Mrs. Pingree's for a few weeks.

Mr. Johnson and family and quite a number of others from Portland have arrived at the Camp Ground.

NORTH NEWRY.

The cyclone which passed this way a short time ago was the most severe that ever visited this part of the country. It did quite a large amount of damage, completely demolishing the barn of Fred W. Henderson; also moved the stable of F. C. Bennett off its foundation, blew down the chimnies on the Nathan Bartlett house, and lots of other damage.

Poplar Hotel is full of boarders, hailing from California, Colorado, Washington, D. C., Boston, Mass., and Portland.

H. N. Bartlett and adopted daughter from Denmark recently visited his brother, C. R. Bartlett, at this place.

Maenette Littlehale's school at Upton is about finishing. I understand it has been a very profitable and successful term.

Mrs. R. W. Kilgore's friends from Waltham, Mass., who have been visiting her for the past few weeks, have returned home.

Mrs. I. P. Kilgore is in much better health than she was in the spring.

Charlie Bennett is at home from Errol, N. H., to help his brother Frank cut his hay.

F. W. Henderson and Herbert Chapman have got home from down country.

UPTON.

The ladias met and held a sociable with Mrs. Nellie Burke. A very pleasant time was had.

Mrs. Chas. Chase has lately had a kitchen finished in the ell. It is a good one and painted to please the eye.

Mary L. Abbott and her friend, Miss M. L. Wilson went to Errol one day last week, to help celebrate the wooden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Illsley.

Mrs. John Akers of Errol is in town helping care for her father Otis Abbott who is quite feeble.

Carrie M. Abbott has been quite sick, but is slowly recovering.

L. F. Bragg has moved into the Raymond rent. Gertrude Bragg is at work for Mrs Alva Coolidge.

Frank Baker and wife of Boston, Mass., arrived at the Lake House, July 18.

Mrs Myra Sargent and Mrs. Mary Sargent recently made a visit to Mrs. Peter Russell of Dixfield.

Ida Fuller came home from Poplar Hotel with a very bad foot. Erysipelas was the cause, but she is much better and returns this week.

H. I. Abbott and William Burke each have a new road cart and are stepping their colts around finely.

Mrs. J. M. Abbott is quite sick. Ida.

LaForst Bragg has moved into the Raymond House.

Miss B. L. Morse has returned from Norway. Eunice Abbott came with her to make a visit.

Mrs. Louisa West has sold her four years old colt to A. N. Richardson.

Gertie Bragg is working for Mrs. Kate Cooledge.

A. N. Richardson has sold his lot of land in Newry to Mrs. Louise West.

Mrs. Roxanna Godwin visited friends in Upton last week.

A. W. Judkins has returned to Upton.

Tavie Bragg is working for Mrs. S. Lane.

There will be a sociable at Mrs. H. F. West's, Thursday the 24th.

Charles Chase is having his house repaired.

Mrs. George Abbott of Norway has been visiting relatives in Upton.

D. P. Brooks and wife of Norway are visiting at his father's, who has been very ill. Also Mrs. Laura Chapman is visiting at Mr. Brooks'.

Otis Abbott is quite feeble.

E. T. Judkins is working for Miss Morse.

A. K. Frost has purchased a new horse rake.

Mrs. Mary Sargent has been to Dixfield. W.

SOUTH CONWAY, N. H.

Died at Conway Centre, the 15th, Mr. McKensey. He was a stone cutter at the Red Stone Quarry. He has been confined to his bed ever since March. The Order of stone cutters paid all of his bills. He died at Mr. McNorton's.

Charlie Parsons of Charlestown, Mass., is spending his vacation at his uncle's, F. H. Parsons, in this place. All are glad to see Charlie again, as he is a great favorite with all his friends.

Mrs. Hattie Willey of this place was quite sick last week, but is better at present.

Ivory Cole and wife and Gertie Cole of Brownfield spent last Sabbath with friends in this place, and Vina Leavitt of Eaton spent last week with her aunt, Mrs. J. S. Eaton, in this place.

O. H. Willey of this place is haying this week for F. R. Bailey of Brownfield. He is mowing with his mowing machine.

The boarding houses in this place are fast filling up with boarders. W.

The Pulpit and the Stage.

Rev. F. M. Shrout, Pastor United Brethren Church, Blue Mound, Kan., says: "I feel it my duty to tell what wonders Dr. King's New Discovery has done for me. My lungs were badly diseased, and my parishioners thought I could live only a few weeks. I took five bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery and am sound and well, gaining 26 lbs. in weight."

Arthur Love, Manager Love's Funny Folks Combination, writes: "After a thorough trial and convincing evidence, I am confident Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption beats 'em all, and cures when everything else fails. The greatest kindness I can do my many thousand friends is to urge them to try it." Free trial bottles at Noyes Drug Store. Regular size 50c. and $1.00.

At the time of General Fremont's death he was engaged upon the manuscript of a paper for *The Century's* forthcoming series on the California Gold Hunters. It was to be entitled "Finding paths to California," and was not only to deal with the several exploring expeditions, but to narrate the writer's intimate connection with the events which led to the conquest and occupation of the territory. The work will promptly continued by Mrs. Fremont.

How Uncle Abe Danced.

General Singleton, of Quincy, Ill., who was one of the bright young lawyers of Springfield when Abraham Lincoln was a green youth there, tells this story, which we believe has never been printed before. The bevy of bright young ladies to which Miss Todd belonged before her marriage to Mr. Lincoln used to have a good deal of sport at this awkward young man's expense. One evening at a little party Mr. Lincoln approached Miss Todd and said, in his peculiar idiom:

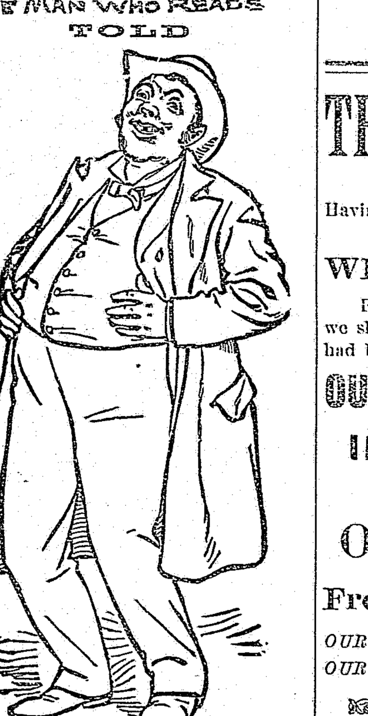
"Miss Todd, I should like to dance with you the worst way."

The young lady accepted the inevitable, and hobbled around the room with him. When Miss Todd had returned to her seat, one of her mischievous companions said:

"Well, Mary, did he dance with you the worst way?"

"Yes," she answered, "the very worst."


THE MAN WHO READS TOLD


THE MAN WHO LAUGHS.

THAT HE BOUGHT THE
MASON FRUIT JARS
That his wife put up those luscious berries in, at
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Porcelain and Granite Kettles,
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WM. C. LEAVITT,
Next Elm House, Norway, Me.

FOR SALE! Mrs. Helen F. Keith offers her House for sale, 49 Beal Street, Norway, Maine, near the Depot. 30tf

ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of Norway Building Association will be held at Norway Hall, Monday, the fourth day of Aug. next, at 4 o'clock, p.m. H. M. BEARCE, Sec'y.
Norway, July 25, 1890. 30-31

You have often noticed that the brick on the top of a chimney become loose. The morter will not stand the exposure to the elements. It makes the chimney look bad and it becomes necessary to retop the Chimney. This can be prevented by using the Carbonized Stone Chimney. They will protect the chimney and will save you all trouble and annoyance. The extra cost is small, when compared with retopping a chimney.

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NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE.

Whereas, George W. Beckler of Albany, in the County of Oxford, by his mortgage deed dated the fifth day of January, A. D. 1881, and recorded in the Oxford Registry of Deeds, Book 201, Page 280, conveyed to the Bethel Savings Bank, a certain parcel of real estate, situated in said Albany, and being all the real estate described in mortgage deed of Abernethy Grover to Norway Savings Bank, dated the seventeenth day of November, 1869, and recorded in Oxford Registry of Deeds, Book 155, Page 28. Also all the real estate described in deed of the inhabitants of the said town of Albany to the said Norway Savings Bank, dated April 16th, A. D. 1878, and recorded in Oxford Records, Book 179, Page 260, and being all the real estate described in deed from Norway Savings Bank to said Beckler, dated January 3d, 1881. And said Bethel Savings Bank, by their deed of assignment, dated the nineteenth day of July, A. D. 1890, and recorded in Oxford Records, Book 224, Pages 93 and 94, conveyed all their interest in said mortgage, and the premises therein described to the subscriber. And whereas, the condition of said mortgage has been broken, now therefore, by reason of the breach of the condition thereof, I claim a foreclosure of said mortgage, and give this notice for that purpose, OSGOOD DREW.
Albany, July 23, 1890. 30-32

STATEMENT OF
Oxford County Loan Association,
NORWAY, JULY 16th, 1890.
S. B. Locke, Pres. H. D. Smith, Sec. & Treas.

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock	$10.000 00
Surplus	800 00
Debentures sold	51,200 00
Bills payable	4.650 00
Profits	1.953 53
	$68,603 53

RESOURCES.

Loans on mortgages of real estate	$61,195 46
Due from Bank of Callaway, Neb	5.281 83
Due from Bank of Gering, Neb	34 41
Due from L. H. Jewett	100 00
Cash on deposit	1,991 53
(30-32)	$68.603 33

GEORGE D. BISBEE, Bank Examiner.

FROM NOW UNTIL FALL!
—o—
A. J. VERRILL & CO.,
Have on hand and in prosess of making
26 MONUMENTS, 80 TABLETS,
60 HEADSTONES, 30 SHELVES,
15 VASES, 20 BOUQUET HOLDERS,
and stock to match any work that a person may wish, and
From Now Until Fall
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Remember the place,
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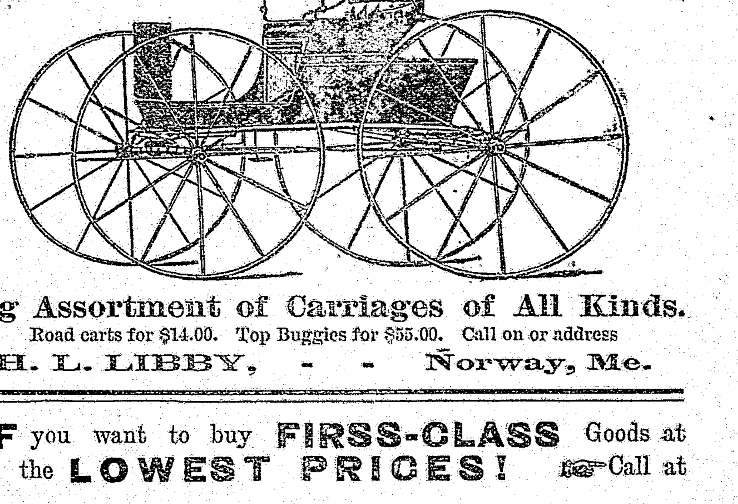
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SUMMER CLOTHING,
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AT
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Norway, Me., 110 Main Street.
SAWYER SUIT cut . . . . from $11.00 to $8.00
" " " . . . . " 12.50 to 9.50
Pant that have been selling for $3.50, 4.00, 4.50, 5.00, 5.50, 6.00, 6.50, cut $1.00 to close.
Sell you a good Haying Pant for ONE DOLLAR. SUMMER UNDERWEAR—well the cost does not make any difference: I am going to sell it as well as everything else in my store. Make your selection early. Respectfully,
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Patrons are delighted, competition is bewildered; and yet as time advances, we shall strive to offer greater inducements to merit the greatest trade to be had by any one trader in Oxford County.
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IN HARDWARE
IS OUR FINE LINE OF
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From $1.00 to $16.00.
GROCERIES!
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☞So avoid high prices and late dinners, as we make a specialty delivering all goods before 11 a. m. Speak to driver on team, or leave address at store, and all goods will be promptly delivered.
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Beginning Saturday, July 12th.
We find that a large amount of Remnants have accumulated during our busy season, and NOW WE ARE GOING TO CLEAR OUR STOCK.
We have Remnants of *ALL WOOL* and *COTTON* and *WOOL DRESS GOODS, GINGHAMS, SATINES, PRINTS, COTTONS, etc.*
We have marked down goods in every department where we are overstocked. We call special attention to our *HOSIERY DEPARTMENT.*
SMILEY BROTHERS.
137 Main St., - - Norway, Me.

Semi-Annual Closing Out Sale
—AT—
F. H. NOYES' CLOTHING HOUSE!
132 Main St., - - - - Norway, Me.
The time has come to close out the balance of our *SUMMER STOCK* of *CLOTHING, STRAW HATS,* etc., and for the next *THIRTY DAYS,* shall make astonishing *LOW PRICES.* If you want anything in the line of
Clothing, Hats or Furnishings
We can surely save you money. Respectfully Yours,
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Big Assortment of Carriages of All Kinds.
Road carts for $14.00. Top Buggies for $55.00. Call on or address
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I have enlarged my stock of Prints, and added a nice line of LADIES' and GENTS'
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All true business men know that advertising pays. Nothing has made so many fortunes for enterprising men.

[Written for the Advertiser.]

The Chickadee.

By Annie Cutting.

In mid-winter there came to our window,
A dear little bird of the air,
And he picked up the crumbs, that we scattered
On the window-ledge with care.
He flew round the roomy old kitchen,
Alighting on window and door,
And telling us, in his bird language,
That he'd come on the morrow for more.
He brought me a waft from the outer world,
Scattering thoughts of sleepless nights of pain,
As in the beautiful summer,
The bright sunshine scatters rain.
O cruel, cruel fashion,
That orders death to little birds that sing!
And cruel, more cruel women,
To wear the dainty tinted wings!
My friends, let the birds teach a lesson,
A lesson with gratitude fraught,
To trust the Heavenly Father
In word and deed and thought.
And remember that He who cares for the birds,
Will care for and watch over thee.
As in the long cold winter
He cared for the chickadee.
Andover, Me.

[Written for the Advertiser.]

By and By.

By Ralph L. Herrick.

When we stand upon life's threshold,
'Neath youth's radiant cloudless sky,
Little know we of the trials
That await us by and by.
Life is but a crowded pathway,
Where both pain and sorrow lie.
We shall bow beneath the burden
In the future, by and by.
We must catch the golden moments
As they fly,
And prepare to walk in manhood
By and by.
Though we fall beneath our burden,
And in pain and anguish lie,
We may rise again beneath it
And be conquerors, by and by.
We must prepare to meet our Maker
Ere we die,
That we may see the heavenly radiance
By and by.
Greenwood.

HOUSEKEEPER.

These troubled with the buffalo moth, should look after them now as they eat very fast during July and Aug. Especially in dark closets and round the edge of carpets. I have had some experience with the little pest and find that spirits of turpentine used freely will kill them. Turn in the cracks of floors and round the edges of carpets. Many housekeepers get deceived by thinking they are larger than the common moth and let their houses get over-run with them before they know what they are. The largest I ever saw were no larger than a common sized apple seed and resemble it in shape but look as though covered with fur. They are usually of a dark color as I think they like dark colors best.

If housekeepers would use an old piece of flannel to dust and rub spots from stoves they would find it saves time and strength as the stoves would not need blacking so often.

Keep your lamps full of oil as they give a better light and are not so liable to explode.

Put a little common salt in the water with which you water your plants, once in three or four days, as it helps to make them bloom well.

It is found that few of the usual preventives are of any use against the attacks of this beetle, "the carpet-bug," and for this reason it is a difficult pest to eradicate. In some places it has proved so destructive that carpets have to be dispensed with, and in their place rugs are used, as being more conviently examined.

Tallow or tallowed paper placed around the edges of the carpet, which are often the parts first attacked, is said to be effectual. In many cases the carpets are cut, as if with scissors, following the line of the seams in the floor, and as a remedy for this it has been recommended that the seams be filled during the winter with cotton saturated with benzine. Kerosene, naphtha, or gasoline are offensive to the beetle as well as benzine, but benzine is perhaps the simplest and safest preventive to use. It can be poured from a tin can having a very small spout, it being necessary to use but little.

Before tacking down a carpet it should be thoroughly examined, and if possible steamed. If in spite of precautions a carpet is found infested, a wet cloth can be spread down along the edges, and a hot iron passed over it, the steam thus generated not only killing the beetles and larvæ, but destroying any eggs that may have been laid. Clothing is sometimes attacked as well as objects of natural history—such as stuffed birds and mammals.

It is believed that the beetle must feed on some plant, for in a number of cases it was captured out of doors, and it was finally discovered feeding on the pollen of the flowers of spiræas, the beetle living on the plant for a while and then returning to the house to lay its eggs. When this was proved, it was suggested that spiræas should be planted around houses infested by the beetle; by doing this the plants could be often examined and the beetles destroyed.

The following may not be new to many of you, but as we all need to be reminded occasionally, even of familiar things and as this seems to be particularly adapted to the season when it is difficult to keep from tanning and burning the face, please take it as a hint which may be taken with benefit:

A very efficient remedy for rough skins is to use oatmeal baths, putting a double handful of the meal in the bath-tub at night and drawing a gallon or more of warm water, says a writer in the Illustrated American. This should stand until morning when the rest of the warm bath is drawn upon it. Nothing gives such velvety softness to the skin as this, and the French are so well aware of the qualities of it that they never fail to have a quantity of "bath-bags" among their toilet appliances. These bags can be bought in this country, but, being imported, are expensive, and one can make them for one's self quite as well at half the cost. Get five pounds of oatmeal ground fine, a half pound of pure Castile soap reduced to powder, and a pound of powdered Italian orris-root. Cut a yard of thin cheese-cloth into bags about four inches square, and sew them up on the machine, being careful not to leave any untied threads where a break in the seam may come and the contents ooze out. Mix the soap, oatmeal and orris-root thoroughly and fill the bags loosely. Sew up the orifice, and lay them away ready for use in the bath, when they should be dipped into warm water and used like a sponge. They make a lovely soft, thick lather, and turn the water milky, and the use of them not only makes the skin as delicate as a child's, but the orris-root leaves upon it a faint and lasting odor of violets. This treatment will go far toward making the skin of the body beautiful; but a different treatment is needed for the face. Here the vigorous daily exercise tells with even greater effect than upon the body, and keeps the skin moist, fresh, and rosy. The use of hot water upon the face is most essential, particularly if one is much in the open air. After a day in the sun, a certain and immediate cure for sunburn can be found at the hot-water faucet. Delicate skins are liable to get terribly inflamed in the wind and light, and as soon as they begin to burn, fill the basin with very hot water and sponge the face with it—just as hot as can possibly be borne. Do this for some minutes, dry softly with a fine towel, and, rubbing in a very little vaseline powder lightly. This treatment renders the worst case of exposure harmless, and prevents the skin from peeling.

Taking faces in the mass, they are marked by very distinct characteristics. One of these is the married, and the other the unmarried face. Of course these two classes do not include all faces. There are many countenances which cannot be said to belong to either. Among those which do arrange themselves under one or the other of these heads there is also a vast difference. Some of them possess the characteristic more and some of them less. In some instances the married look is strongly pronounced; it is as definite and decided as mid-day. From the more marked kind the married expressions lessen, and finally fade away or disappear in something else, as sunset merges into twilight and twilight into moonlight or darkness.

There is no mistaking the married look, or the unmarried, for the type is invariable. Each is prominent, marked, individualized, and in many of its expressions is the exact opposite of the other. The prevailing quality visible in the married face is indifference. This trait is never absent, but its strongest development is when the husband and wife sit, stand or ride together. If one will suppose a line passing through the married head at right angles to the axis of the ears, and prolonged fore and aft for a short distance, and then place the heads side by side, it will occur that, as a rule, the ends of the line converge in the rear of the heads and separate in front of the face.

This experiment is based, of course, on the placing of a wife by the side of her husband and not by that of some other woman. In the latter case, the probabilities are that the acute angle would be formed in the front of the couple.

The meeting of the lines at the back of the heads of the husband and wife may properly be termed the matrimonial angle. It grows more obtuse as the married pair recede from the honeymoon.

A Prison Incident.

A Boy's First Drink and What Came of It.

Mrs. Emma Molloy relates the following incident in one of her speeches, referring to the relation of temperance to crime:

In a recent visit to the Leavenworth, Kan., prison, during my address on Sabbath morning, I observed a boy, not more than seventeen or eighteen years of age, on the front seat intently eyeing me. The look he gave me was so full of earnest longing it spoke volumes to me.

At the close of the service I asked the warden for an interview with him, which was readily granted. As he approached me his face grew deathly pale, and, as he grasped my hand, he could not restrain the fast-falling tears. Choking with emotion, he said:

"I have been in this prison two years, and you are the first person that has called for me—the first woman who has spoken to me."

"How is this, my child? Have you no friends that love you? Where is your mother?"

The great brown eyes, swimming with tears, were slowly uplifted to mine, and he replied:

"My friends are all in Texas. My mother is an invalid, and fearing that the knowledge of the terrible fall would kill her, I have kept my whereabouts a profound secret. For two years I have borne my awful homesickness in silence for her sake."

As he buried his face in his hands, and heartsick sobs burst from his trembling frame, it seemed to me I could see a panorama of the days and nights, the long weeks of homesick longing, that had dragged their weary length out over two years.

So I ventured to ask: "How much longer have you to stay?"

"Three years," was the reply, as the fair young head dropped lower, and the frail little hand trembled with suppressed emotion.

"Five years at your age!" I exclaimed. "How did it happen?"

"Well," he replied, "it's a long story, but I'll make it short. I started out from home to try to do something for myself. Coming to Leavenworth, I found a cheap boarding-house, and one night accepted an invitation from one of the young men to go into a drinking saloon.

"For the first time in my life I drank a glass of liquor. It fired my brain. There is a confused remembrance of the quarrel. Somebody was stabbed. The bloody knife was found in my hand. I was indicted for assault with intent to kill.

"Five years for the thoughtless acceptance of a glass of liquor is surely illustrating the Scripture truth that the 'way of the transgressor is hard.'"

I was holding the cold, trembling hand that crept into mine. He earnestly tightened his grasp, as imploringly, he said: "Oh, Mrs. Molloy, I want to ask a favor of you."

At once I expected he was going to ask me to obtain a pardon, and in an instant I measured the weight of public reproach that rests upon the victims of this legalized drink traffic.

It is all right to legalize a man to craze the brains of our boys, but not by any means to ask that the state pardon its victims.

Interpreting my thought, he said: "I am not going to ask you to get me a pardon, but I want you to write to my mother and get a letter from her and send it to me. Don't for the world tell her where I am. Better not tell her anything about me. Just get a line from her, so I can look upon it! Oh! I am so homesick for my mother!"

The head of the boy dropped down into my lap, with a wailing sob; I laid my hand upon his head. I thought of my own boy, and for a few moments was silent, and let the outburst of sorrow have vent.

Presently I said: "Murray, if I were your mother, and the odor of a thousand prisons was upon you, still you would be my boy. I should like to know where you were.

"Is it right to keep that mother in suspense? Do you suppose that there ever has been a day or night that she has not prayed for her wandering boy? No, Murray, I will only consent to write to your mother on consideration that you will permit me to write the whole truth, just as one mother can write to another."

After some argument his consent was finally obtained, and a letter was hastily penned and sent on its way. A week or so elapsed, when the following letter was received from Texas:

"Dear Sister in Christ.—Your letter was this day received, and I hasten to thank you for your words of tender sympathy and for tidings of my boy—the first we have had in two years. When Murray left home we thought it would not be long. As the months rolled on the family had given him up for dead, but I felt sure God would give me back my boy.

"As I write from the couch of an invalid, my husband is in W——, nursing another son, who is lying at the gates of death with typhoid fever. I could not wait his return to write to Murray. I wrote and told him, if I could, how quickly I would go and pillow his head upon my breast, just as I did when he was a little child.

"My poor, dear boy—so generous, kind, and loving. What could he have done to deserve this punishment? You do not mention his crime, but say it was committed while under the influence of drink.

"I did not know he had ever tasted liquor. We raised six boys, and never knew one of them to be under the influence of drink. Oh! is there any place in this nation that is safe when our boys have left the home-fold?

"Oh, God! my sorrow is greater than I can bear. I can not go to him, but, sister, I pray you to talk to him, and comfort him as you would have some mother talk to your boy, were he in his place.

"Tell him that when he is released, his place in the old home-nest and his mother's heart is awaiting him."

Then followed the loving mother's words for Murray, in addition to those written. As I wept bitter tears over the words so full of heart-break, I asked myself the question: "How long will the nation continue to sanction the liquor traffic, covenant with death, and league with hell to rob us of our boys?"

Lovers of God and humanity, will you not work for the passage of laws that will save the boys and the agony of mothers like this. Similar cases are among us all the time.—*Selected.*

Bush Hooks.

I have got some Bush Hooks for sale. They will cut anything from a raspberry bush to a tree three inches in diameter. This is just what you want to use for a fortnight after haying, as bushes cut this time of the year do not start again so readily, so to save time and labor, come and buy a tool that will do the work of a scythe and axe at a very moderate cost. I have Bush Scythes and Snaths also.

Wm. C. Leavitt, Next Elm House.

Mrs. Elizabeth W. Champney, who is now abroad, will contribute to the next number of Harper's Bazar an article describing her experience of "Country Life in England." The same issue of the Bazar will contain the second instalment of papers on "Exercise for Women," by Emma Moffett Tyng, the subjects discussed being "Bicycles and Tricycles."

Thomas A. Janvier, the author of "The Aztec Treasure-House," will contribute to Harper's Magazine for August a humorous summer novelette called "The Uncle of an Angel." The story will be accompanied by eight illustrations from drawings by W. T. Smedley.

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RIPENING CREAM.

A New York Authority Makes Some Practical Suggestions.

Mr. F. D. Curtis, of Saratoga county, one of New York's recognized authorities in various matters pertaining to the farm, never churns his cream less than twenty-four hours old, and he aims to have it forty-eight hours old, and tries to keep it in such a condition that it will be forty-eight hours old. It is then only slightly acid. This helps the process of separating the butter globules. When the cream is properly ripened, it speaks for itself. It looks light colored and has a bright, satiny appearance, cracks open on the top, and you can almost see the butter in the cream. As soon as it reaches this point, it wants to be churned right then and there.

Now the great trouble with the average dairyman is he doesn't observe these things closely enough. He does not skim the milk properly, and the cream is kept too long. Mr. Curtis would not put old cream with sweet cream. Warm your cream up to about 75 degs., but sourness does not ripen the cream. By a little neglect in ripening the cream you cannot get all your butter. He has no doubt that he has lost 5,000 pounds of butter during the last ten years by not ripening his cream properly. He would get his cream partially ripened, put his sweet cream in and let the whole ripen. By repeated experiments he found by these means he had been losing about 10 per cent. of his butter. By ripening his cream together he has no trouble in getting at least 10 per cent. more butter than he ever did by the old method, and he attributes this loss entirely to the ripening.

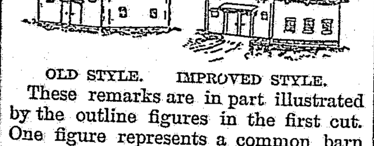
The Value of Leached Ashes.

Until the last few years all the wood ashes made on the farm were leached to produce lye for soft soap, and my mother always insisted upon having a half bushel of lime mixed with ashes in the leach to produce lye strong enough to bear up an egg, and in selecting ashes for the leach, if any had become damp, they were discarded as unfit and were mixed with last year's leached ashes and applied on the farm, usually where corn was to be planted, and always with good results. The lime put in the leach will show itself in the soil many years afterwards. I have plowed up lime with a few ashes distinguishable that my father put on twenty years before, and never had a poor crop where they were put. It was on stony ground that could not be so thoroughly tilled as freer soil, consequently lasted longer. Some ten years ago I planted corn on a field that had a poor spot in which nothing of any amount would grow. No one could tell why.

Before planting I took the ashes from the last year's leach and spread them over this poor place, then spread stable manure over it the same as the rest of the field. The corn grew larger on that poor spot where the ashes were than on any other part of the field. The next year the oats were a failure on that spot; they grew up a little, half headed, fell down and died. The crop of rye following and all other crops since, even the grass, have been better on that spot than any other in the field, but there were too much ashes for oats the first year.—Country Gentleman.

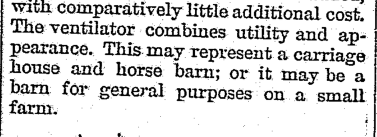
Exteriors of Barns.

Without incurring much additional expense, a barn may have a pleasing exterior instead of an awkward and heavy form. In addition to its general symmetry, which may nearly always accord with convenience, a few small particulars added at the proper places may contribute much to its appearance. Country Gentleman calls attention in this connection to the decorative effect of small hoods over the doors and windows, and properly projecting eaves. As a matter of utility these will be worth more than their cost. The hoods will be a protection of the windows in some degree against storms and prevent rain from being driven inside, and the projecting eaves will answer a similar purpose and protect the walls outside. They will both serve to stiffen the building by affording additional bracing. They will possess another distinct advantage. The owner will not feel compelled to hide his barns and outbuildings from view because they are repulsive objects. Partially hid by trees, they will convey the impression to the spectator of home conveniences and rural comforts.



OLD STYLE. IMPROVED STYLE.

These remarks are in part illustrated by the outline figures in the first cut. One figure represents a common barn with no pretension to ornament or symmetry. The other figure shows one of nearly the same general form, but with broad eaves and window hoods added, with comparatively little additional cost. The ventilator combines utility and appearance. This may represent a carriage house and horse barn; or it may be a barn for general purposes on a small farm.



A LARGE BARN. WINDOW HOOD.

In the second cut is shown a larger form with a good exterior. The other figure represents the form and structure of a common window hood, which should be made of two inch plank to give it stability.

The authority quoted calls to mind the fact that barns such as are here depicted may be built of rough or unplaned lumber, taking care to give the right form. If such a barn be well soaked with one or two good coats of crude petroleum, and in a year or two finished with a coat of common paint, it will be more durable than with three coats of paint on an expensive barn built with planed and costly lumber.

FOR LITTLE PEOPLE.

ALEXANDER'S FUN.

'Twas horrible! the image
Which lighted up the place.
'Twas an ugly pumpkin lantern,
With a shocking, shocking face,
Surely the boys who made it
Had no thought of form or grace.

"Now, Tom," said Alexander,
"Let's put it on this post,
And those girls will think for certain
They've seen a first-class ghost;
And I think I know for certain
Which one 'twill frighten most.

"For Jenny, she's so timid,
She's afraid of every thing,
And I think that this may shock her
And some sense to her may bring.
For of all the ugly images
This lantern is the king."

And then they stopped their talking
And listened, and could hear
Out in the distant darkness
Girlish voices, sweet and clear.
Then said Tom to Alexander:
"Now they are coming near."

They came, and timid Jenny
Gave one awful, frightened cry.
As she saw the fearful image
She almost seemed to fly,
And she reached her mother's bosom
Ready, as they feared, to die.

All night in strong convulsions
The lovely sister lay,
And the watchers by her bedside
Almost feared the coming day,
Lest when the night departed
She, too, would go away.

At dawn the little maiden
Was lying still and white,
And 'twas long ere she recovered
From the illness of that night.
She never quite recovered
From her terrible affright.

Pumpkin lanterns in their places
May be very harmless fun,
But all joking that is practical
Is better left undone,
Lest in our zeal for pleasure
We may injure any one.

And a boy or girl who's timid
You can't frighten out of it,
And if you try to do it
You show no sense, nor wit;
And joking that is practical
Isn't funny—not a bit.

So a pumpkin-lantern image
Now will Alexander shun;
And he often thinks with shudders,
Of what he might have done
When he sacrificed his sister
To his eagerness for fun.
—Emily Baker Smalle, in Pansy.

THE LOST UMBRELLA.

Will's Hard-Fought Battle with and Victory Over Himself.

"O, mother, I've done a dreadful thing," said Elsie, coming to her mother with tears in her eyes.

"What have you done, Elsie?"

"I've lost Will's silk umbrella."

"Why, Elsie, how came you to do it?"

"I took it down town with me this morning—it sprinkled a little, you know—and I must have left it somewhere, for when I was coming home, I missed it."

"And did you go back?"

"Yes, I went to every store I had been in, but I couldn't find it."

"Did Will say you might have it?"

"No; he never would let me, because he always said I would lose it. I wanted to carry it just once, it was so nice. But, O dear, I wish I hadn't."

"I am very sorry," said mother, gravely. "It is the first nice one Will has ever had, and I don't know when he will get another."

"No," said Elsie, in great distress, "I'd do any thing to give him another if I could. But I can't, and he'll be terribly angry with me."

"I am afraid he will," said mother, really pitying the little girl for her dread of her brother's anger. "But I guess you deserve it, dear, for taking his umbrella without leave, so you must only bear it as well as you can. We will make a few more inquiries before we tell Will."

The inquiries were made, but the umbrella had fallen into dishonest hands and was never more heard of.

"You had better tell Will at once, Elsie," said mother.

"I wish you would tell him, mother."

And mother was quite willing to make the trouble as light as she could for Elsie, and began watching an opportunity for approaching Will on his best side.

"I don't think it was any thing to make a great fuss over," said Will the same evening, flinging down a book he had been reading;

"What do you mean, dear?"

"This story about a boy who lost a great prize because of another boy having burnt up some papers without knowing that they were the notes for his essay. It was a dreadful disappointment to him, of course; but when it was once done, and no help for it, what could he do but get over it the best way he could?"

"But if you try to put yourself in his place, you will see that it must have required a great deal of Christian forbearance to forgive at once the boy who had done the mischief."

"Ho! a boy who amounted to any thing would never think of making a fuss over what couldn't be helped."

"And a really manly true-hearted boy would take pleasure in trying to prevent his friend from suffering too keenly over the fact of having unintentionally injured him," said mother, more seriously.

"Of course," agreed Will.

"I am glad you think so, for I am going to give you a chance of showing how a boy of that kind, a real boy, not in a story-book, can bear a little injury unintentionally done him."

"What do you mean now, mother?"

"Poor little Elsie is feeling very badly because of something which she knows will vex you, and I wish, my dear boy, that you would strive to show a spirit of brotherly kindness in the matter."

"What has she done?" asked Will.

"She has lost your silk umbrella."

A quick color flew to Will's cheek.

"I know it is a very annoying thing," went on his mother. "Elsie thinks you will be very hard on her about it, and she has a great dread of your anger. Don't you think, dear, it would be a grand thing for you to surprise her by speaking kindly about it, by forgiving her fully and freely?"

"What business had she to take it?" said Will, evidently trying to overcome a desire to speak excitedly.

"She did wrong to take it without your knowledge, and she knows it."

Just then Elsie's voice was heard in the hall, and Will arose from the piazza steps on which he had been sitting, walked quickly around the house and out of sight.

He felt as angry as Elsie had said he would. He had a great liking for the small luxuries which were scarce in the family. The umbrella had been given him by an aunt who had visited them, and he had taken great pride in the stylishness of its oxydized silver handle and its slender proportions when encased in its silken cover. It had been a small joke with his sisters that he only took it out when sure it was going to rain.

It was gone, and he knew that it would be a great relief to his vexation to pour out his anger upon Elsie, who had no business to touch his highly-prized property. He could in fancy see exactly how she would shrink before him and how the tears would come to her blue eyes—just as she deserved, he declared to himself.

And then came a thought of the boy in the book who had won the victory over a sense of injury very like to this which was possessing him. This was putting him in his place, sure enough.

Will walked for an hour under the trees in the old orchard. Better thoughts came to him through the gathering shadows of the twilight. What a short-lived satisfaction would be in the bitter words which would rankle like thorns in his little sister's heart. What lasting sweetness in lifting from her the burden of fear of his severe fault-finding.

"I'll wait till some day I want it and then I'll ask where it is, and when she tries to tell me I'll kiss her and laugh," he said as at length he turned towards the house.

"But no I won't. She'll keep on fretting over it till she knows I know."

"Elsie!" he called at the steps.

"What is it, Will?"

Mother raised her head in anxious attention.

"Bring me my umbrella, please."

"O, Will," came in a faltering little voice, as she walked slowly towards him.

He did not wait for her to go on, but threw his arms around her with a laugh.

"Yes, you'd have a hard time bringing it, wouldn't you? I know all about it, you naughty little thing. If that's what you've been wearing such a doleful face about these few days you'd better set your mind at rest."

"O, Will, aren't you mad with me?"

"Not a bit."

"You dear, dear, brother! I thought you'd never forgive me."

It was, as he knew it would be, a long time before Will had another silk umbrella. But it will be far longer before he will forget the satisfaction growing out of the result of the hard-fought battle with himself, a satisfaction to be tasted with every remembrance of his victory.—Sydney Dayre, in N. Y. Observer.

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GREENWOOD.

Young Hill.—Nelson Lapham is at work for Peter Holden.

Moses A. Swan has shingled his barn.

O. G. and Moses A. Swan have taken Frank Hill's hay to cut.

LYNCHVILLE.

Alice Wilber is teaching school at the town house.

Prayer meeting at the school house in district No. 5 every other Sunday.

W. T. Guptill is at present traveling in Oxford county for the firm of Leach, Shewell & Sanborn, publishers of school and college text books, Boston.

The farmers in this vicinity are very busy getting their hay. Mrs. C. H. Fernald entertained the North Waterford circle at her house July 8.

Mrs. Amy E. Guptill is spending a few days with her sister at North Waterford.

The effect of eloquence is not always hightened by assistance from without. A young divinity student from Harvard who is spending his vacation in Maine, occupied the pulpit of a quaint little chapel in the eastern part of the State on a recent Sunday morning. Waxing eloquent with his theme, he sought to embellish his discourse with numerous flights of poetic fancy and alligorical illustrations. Pausing a moment after one of these supreme mental efforts, he continued, "And now, my friends, listen to the low, sweet prelude." At this juncture a cow beneath one of the windows launched forth into a series of such vigorous, discordant bellowing as could have made the trombone player of a German street band green with envy. The crimson flush on the young man's face rivalled the hue on the statue of the venerable John Harvard.

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The Pastor Astonished.

Harriet Beecher Stowe's son, the Rev. Charles E. Stowe of Hartford, Ct. recently, met with an experience which completely nonpulsed him. One fine evening quite recently he dined with Mrs. J. W. Boardman, proprietress of the Hotel Woodruff. Visiting Mrs. Boardman is a cute little niece, about five years of age. Fearing lest the child might astonish the preacher by some outlandish saying her aunt warned her to keep mum during dinner.

The admonition was listened to with awe, and at the table the little one scarcely dared look at Mr. Stowe, not to omit the supposed sin. While the servant was absent from the room the little girl noticed that there was no butter on her small pink dish.

She didn't mind holding her tongue, but to eat bread without butter—that would never do. She took a survey of the table, and lo! and behold, the butter dish was directly in front of the preacher. Wistfully she gazed at both for a few seconds. Never in her brief existence did she appear so pensive. Then gathering all her courage and clearing her throat, she said: "Dear pastor, won't you please, for Christ's sake, pass the butter?"

The Rev. Mr. Stowe never received such a shock. He leaned over in his chair to pick up his napkin which of course had not fallen. Mrs. Boardman must at that moment arrange a window curtain, and the other guests were suddenly troubled with a friendly cough, and little Mabel was self satisfied in that she had done the proper caper.

National Encampment.

The following program for the week of the National Encampment at Boston will be of interest to all who may attend from this section:

Tuesday, Aug. 12th—Grand parade; the column to be formed (in accordance with vote of National Encampment of 1888) by the departments of the order of seniority, except the department in which the encampment is held takes the left.

In the evening the Grand Army and Woman's Relief Corps joint reception in Mechanics' hall; admission by badge of G. A. R. or W. R. C.

Wednesday, Aug. 13th—Meeting of National Encampment at 10 a. m. in Music hall, Winter street.

Meeting of National Encampment Woman's Relief Corps in Tremont temple, Tremont street.

In the evening Grand Army camp-fire in Mechanics' building.

Thursday, Aug 15th—Continued session of National Encampment, G. A. R. and Woman's Relief Corps.

In the evening a banquet to the delegates of the National Encampment, and to invited guests in the Mechanic' building.

Friday, Aug. 16th—Steamboat excursion for the members of the National Encampment down the harbor to Minot's Light, thence along the northern shore to Cape Ann, passing Nahant, Salem, Marblehead and Rockport, to Thatcher's Island Light. Fish dinner on boat.

A reunion of Naval Veterans will be held during the Encampment. Headquarters will be established at the hall of the Kearsarge Association, corner of Washington and Union Park streets. Reunions of other organizations will also be held.

The Woman's Relief Corps, Department of Massachusetts, will furnish lunch at Bumstead hall for the delegates to the National Encampment, G. A. R., each day during the session of the Encampment.

TRANSPORTATION.

All railroad lines with the exception of the Trans-Continental line have agreed to fares one way for the round trip from all points east of the Missouri river. Tickets will be issued good until September 1st, and will be sold on the trains and at the depots where permanent offices are established. To accommodate those going by boat arrangements are being made for a special steamer to leave Portland Monday morning about 9 o'clock, to take all those coming from Oxford and Androscoggin counties.

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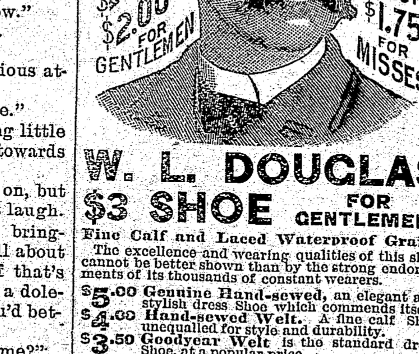
A somewhat startling announcement for the next number of "The Popular Monthly" is an article on "Ancient and Modern Ideas of Hell" by Frederick A. Fernald. It will doubtless prove very seasonable just now when the air is full of the proposed revision of certain Presbyterian doctrines.

"One Thing at a Time" is a good motto, the wisdom of which is exemplified by a striking picture in the August number of Peterson's Magazine. A girl stands with a broom in her hand, so completely absorbed in a newspaper that she is oblivious of the fact that the kettle is boiling over on the stove, the toast burning, and disorder generally reigning in the kitchen. The number is rich in fine illustrations, fashion-plates and needle-work designs. Two serials begin this month.

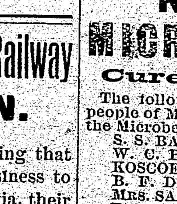
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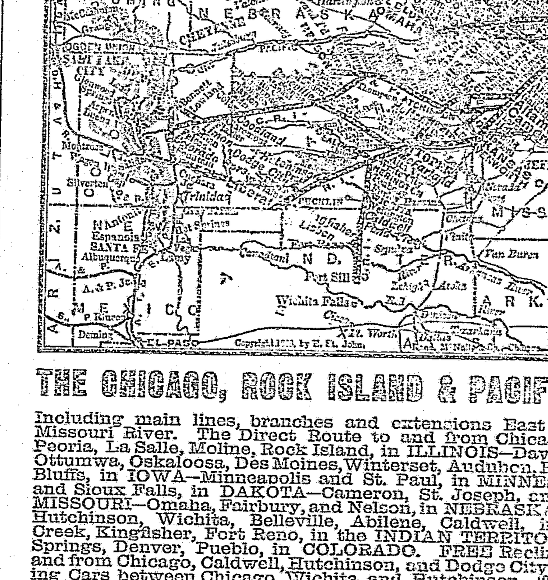
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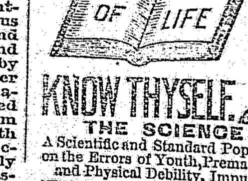
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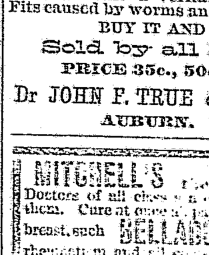
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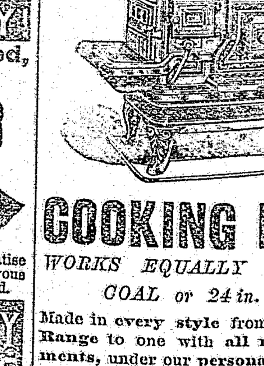

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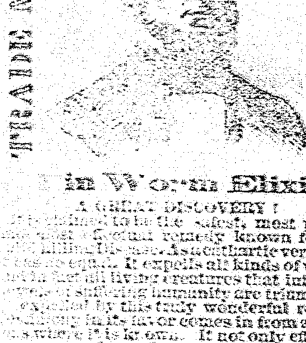
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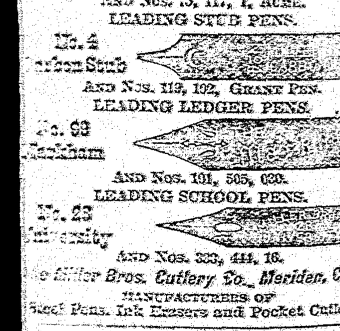
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[Written for the Advertiser.]

Early Reminiscences of Greenwood.

No 3.

Among the notable characters of the olden times was one James LeBroke. He was of French extraction, of medium stature, wiry and well proportioned, prominent features and a piercing black eye. He was lithe as a panther, could leap a five railed fence with the utmost ease and at boxing he never found his equal. Though he could not in any sense have been termed a pugilist, as his extreme good nature precluded anything of the kind and in all his encounters, he was scarcely if ever known to act except in the defence.

A man named Jack Annis, a great bully and notorious fighter, who lived in one of the neighboring towns, hearing of the fame of General Lebroke (as he was familiarly known) sent him a challange, appointing the day and place of meeting, which was at Greenwood City. The General at first refused, declaring that he sought no quarrel with any man, and knowing Annis for a great bully and fond of a quarrel, he wished to have nothing to do with him. But by the intercession of friends or rather those who were anxious to witness the fun, the General consented and the meeting accordingly took place.

A large crowd had assembled who as usual on all such occasions were pretty well filled with rum. Annis, with his long muscular arms, bared to the shoulder, and his brawny frame bared to the waist, looked, as remarked by the crowd, looked enough to eat the little General at one meal.

"Isn't ye gwine to pull off yer duds?" roared Annis as he looked down upon his antagonist much as a full grown shanghi would upon a bantam.

"No," replied the General, "not to lick a man of your size."

This cool and cutting rejoinder was followed by loud and prolonged peals of laughter from the crowd which served to infuriate the quarrelsome bully, causing him to rush upon his adversary, dealing furious and deadly blows, but all to no effect, as the General with his adroit and cat-like motions sent each blow either by or over his head, meantime laughing defiance in his assailant's face. Finding all his efforts unavailing Annis now sought to clinch him, hoping by his superiority of size and strength to crush him to the earth.

But in this he soon found his mistake as the General managed to elude his grasp full as adroitly as he had parried his blows. At last fairly gored to desperation he made one furious lunge, but found his heels tripped up and himself sprawling in the ditch. The General good-naturedly assisted him to rise, wiped the blood and dirt from his face and asked him if he had got enough.

"Yes," replied Annis, "enough of such a little wiry cuss as you are; but why in thunder didn't you fight."

"Pugh! pugh!" replied the General, "I don't want to hurt any body, and don't want any body to hurt me."

Annis shook his vanquisher's hand, paid the treat and departed.

MARK TAPLEY.

LOCKE'S MILLS.

Rev. L. E. Pease of Bryant's Pond, preached here last Sunday evening to a full house. His text was from Rev. iv, 3, "And there was a rainbow round about the throne." Mr. Pease is an excellent speaker and held his congregation spell bound as it were. It was highly instructive and no one of whatever creed could say but it was Bible truth. We hope he will come again. If there were more such men as Mr. Pease the world would be better and so would the people.

John C. Tebbetts is in town. We are sorry to see him still using his crutches.

Mrs. Ridlon, widow of the late J. C. Ridlon of West Paris, accompanied by her little daughter Della, is in this village visiting friends.

Mrs. Lottie Thayer, late of Norway, is at her aunt's, Mrs. George Hussey's, on Howe Hill, and is in very feeble health.

We received a pleasant visit from Mrs. Abbie Knight Friday of last week.

Mr. Lawrence, the jeweler from Bethel last week came down on his bicycle. We were favored last week with most all kinds of traveling humanity. First, tax collector; second, junk cart for old rags and old rubbers; third, band organ grinder; fourth, a lady wanting a situation, with an old bachelor or unmarried man; fifth, two book agents; sixth, traveling agent for the ADVERTISER. We were pleased to see him. He looked smiling, and I think he must have got a lot of subscribers at West Bethel.

We had a call from Mr. Fuller from Upton, formerly of Woodstock.

N. G. Bacon is going to shingle his house next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wardwell and family of Medford, Mass., Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Washburn of Jamaica Plains, and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Whitemore of Charlestown, Mass., are at present sojourning at Dudley cottage. Next Saturday evening, July 26, Mrs. Dudley will give the first hop of the season.

The Kickapoo Indians arrived at Locke's Mills last Sunday. They are to stop one week. They brought their tent with them. They have a new wagon and a handsome one.

New arrivals at Mt. Abram House: Ed Page, Lewiston; Eben E. Rand, R. L. Morse, Portland; M. S. Charles, W. S. Pratt, F. W. Sanborn, Norway; W. W. Thompson, Philadelphia; J. Beatta Whitman, C. M. Comstock, A. M. Comstock, Ed F. Fay & wife, Boston; M. E. Tucker, Dixfield; F. W. Wilber, Wakefield, N. H.; W. H. Goddard, J. A. Merrill, Auburn; J. G. Tebbetts, Lisbon; Joseph P. Davis, Harry M. Davis, N. H.; Kickapoo Med. C., Dr. R. E. Fenton and wife, Sue Fenton, Master E. Fenton, Fred Lexington and wife, Frank Lexington, John Lateur, New Haven, Conn.

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SOUTH OTISFIELD.

Mrs. White and Miss Harrington, of Boston, are spending their vacation at the Jillson farm.

The corn shop in South Otisfield is progressing finely. Mr. Nichols is at work on the shop with a large force of men.

Melvin G. Morse and wife, of Boston, has been spending a few days in town the past week.

WEST BUCKFIELD.

W. S. Austin was at home over Sunday.

E. H. Austin's sister from Boston was visiting him last week.

Mrs. Fred Bennett's sister from Berlin, N. H., is stopping with her.

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BETHEL.

GROVER HILL.—Friday last there was a tea party at Mrs. Ella Lyon's.

J. B. Peasler sometimes rides on a road cart, and we think he has good courage for a man 75 years old.

True and Martha Brown went to Gilead last Sunday to visit their brother Allison.

Elmer A. Lyon is going to Auburn soon to commence work in a shoeshop.

Saturday, Alfred Peasler, Sewell Lyon, True and Chan Brown caught 112 pickerel. They very generously remembered us, many thanks.

Mrs. J. B. Peasler expects soon to accompany Mrs. Perry to her home at Portsmouth, N. H. From there Mrs. Peasler will go to Haverhill, Mass., to visit her daughter Mrs. G. F. Russell.

Miss M. E. Bennett has a very pretty flower garden. She is quite a florist.

We learn that there is to be a fall term of school in dist. No. 28.

Miss L. A. Bennett informs us that she is enjoying every minute of her vacation.

The press is the watch-dog that guards the hen-house of our liberty and protects the clothes-line of our rights—and it also advises you to use the economical Brussels soap.

NORWAY CENTER.

Mrs. Dora Wyman got badly poisoned in her eyes from the dust of myrtle leaves while she was raking hay. Her sister Lela Barker of Albany is visiting her now.

Jennie Patterson has been visiting at her grandfather's and uncle Hazelton's in Albany.

Alvin Brown has a new Wood's mowing machine.

George Wood is doing Dan Watson's machine mowing.

Walter and Annie Hobbs are spending their vacation at home.

Nelson Abbott and wife have moved from Stoneham to the Center. They were serenaded Saturday night.

Rev. Mr. Rideout preached one of his most excellent sermons here last Sabbath. One that could not fail to do some good to every one who heard it.

PIGEON HILL.

Hiram Strout has sold his farm to James Downing.

Mrs. Haley Pulsifer and Mrs. Charles Jordan have returned from Massachusetts.

Jamie King, seven years old, did not miss one day from the summer term of ten weeks, in this district.—*Ledger*.

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Once when in New York I heard a vender of stove polish give out this cry:—"Save your money, time and labor; shine ye, hot or cold. D-i-r-t-y, g-r-e-a-s-y stoves. Very pathetically he put it, and it took, for the saving of money, time and labor is what we are all looking for. No better way can be found than to introduce and maintain in the household Brussels soap. It's economical.

SWEDEN.

Frank Durgin has contracted to cut and put into Kezar river the pine on Daniel True's lots near Kezar Falls, the coming winter.

Frank Stone sold his nice colt to Boston parties. It is being trained for the trotting course.

Lizzie Smith of South Windham has closed her school in district No. 1, Mrs. A. H. Whitehouse in No. 2, Lillian M. Flint at Nevers' Corner. Gertrude Foster of North Bridgton in the Flint district, Bertha Flint of Bridgton Ridge at Bennett's Mills.

Services at the M. E. Church at 2 p. m. The Rev. C. Purington conducted a temperance service at the Plummer school-house at 7.30 p. m, July 20.

Mrs. N. S. McIntire has returned to Lancaster, Mass.

Aaron Eastman has just been in town, cutting the hay upon his farm. He returned to South Boston Monday.

Mrs. W. H. Perry and children of Cambridge, Mass., are at J. W. Perry's.

Mrs. Amos White and sons of South Boston are at Minot Nevers'.

Mr. and Mrs. Durgin Eastman of North Conway were in town last week at Mrs. John Evans; also the Misses Katie Saunders of Lancaster, Mass., and Hattie of Cambridge, Mass., at J. W. Perry's.

J. W. Howe is in town buying eggs for Boston market. Waldo McIntire of Fryeburg, eggs and poultry for North Conway.

Wilber Moulton is having an eagle mounted by Gardner Chase at Bridgton. His kingship was seen resting in a large elm tree, in front of R. O. Moulton's early last Wednesday morning, and was brought to the ground by Owen Demerett, who wounded one wing, but was soon dispatched on reaching the ground. It measured 3 feet in length, and 7 feet and 2 inches from tip to tip of wings.

EAST HEBRON.

A sharp shower and in some parts of this vicinity heavy hail visited this place on Sabbath noon.

Jas. Russell lost a valuable two years old colt last week, a brother to Black Nathan and thought by some to be of superior promise. Black Nathan has the same distemper, so report says.

A. E. Robinson went to Boston on Saturday to take a horse to a man at that place and spend the Sabbath with friends in Chelsea and Medford.

Abbie C. Witham is quite feeble.

Dea. W. Brown, who fell several years ago and crippled himself severely, has been able to walk to the neighbors this spring. He fell again last week and can only walk now by shoving a chair in front of him.

Four persons on Sabbath eve presented themselves as candidates for baptism on next Sabbath and church membership. The baptism will occur next Sabbath at Little river bridge near the late Wm. Morrill's, at 2 p. m.

Clara Washburne intends to return to Penn. with Mrs. Washburne and family in a few weeks.

Charles McKenney has returned to Auburn.

Charles Keene and Lillie Ramsdell were married on Wednesday eve and had their reception on Thursday eve.

The district have removed the desks from the white school-house during vacation so that Mrs. Cobb and daughter can occupy it until their crops are removed from the farm. Frank came from Chicago last week to visit his mother.

A. T. Eastman's infant son has had a hard struggle with whooping cough but is more comfortable just now. The children are all getting finely over the disease.

Mrs. J. J. Fuller went to Vinalhaven to visit her daughter, Cora M. Hopkins, last week.

Minnie Beals has returned to Scarboro, where she has been spending a few weeks with her aunt Larabee.

Mrs. S. Keene sent a fine bouquet of pure pond lillies for the church stand last Sabbath.

Mr. Blake, who lately moved into the parsonage, is now sick with erysipelas in his foot.

A large quantity of hay was cut and stored last week.

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An Oxford Co. Cornetist.

Master George Dana Holt, the subject of our sketch, was born in 1875, in Dixfield, Maine. His father was a musician in the war of the rebellion and has always been associated with military bands since. He reared a little family of musicians, which has contributed considerably toward the edification of the citizens of the quiet little town in which they lived. Master George Dana, the youngest of the family, seemed to be more than ordinarily endowed, and gave promise, at an early age, of very unusual accomplishments in the way of music. At the age of four his father conceived the idea of allowing the precocious little fellow to follow the bent of his inclination, which, strange to say, had already developed to a determination. Naturally enough the instrument of choice was his father's cornet, which was suspended for the child's use, by a string from the ceiling, to prevent its falling to the floor, as the little hands were much too small to be entrusted with its care.

In this manner he made rapid progress and very soon outgrew his father's ability as a teacher, and, in 1886, he was placed under the care of Mr. Perkins of Lewiston, of whom he took four lessons; but Mr. Perkins advised Mr. Holt to take the boy to Boston, which he did in the fall of the same year. Here he was introduced to the late Mr. E. M. Bagley, who gave him four lessons, after which he returned to his home in Dixfield. In the fall of the next year (1887) he again journeyed to Boston, this time going to Mr. Henry C. Brown, who at once became thoroughly interested in him and succeeded with him to such an extent as to be able to bring him out in Boston and vicinity as a very successful soloist, which means a great deal in such a locality where the cornet is played so much and so well. He is not able to spend the entire time in Boston, but makes a visit of about three months during each year, seeing his teacher often, and the remainder of the time he is obliged to work away alone.

During one week of the season of 1889 Master Holt played at the Point of Pines, where his really wonderful control of the cornet made him the subject of more comment than any other attraction during the season at this resort.

Yet it is not alone as a player that this little prodigy excels, for his compositions for his instruments are marvels especially when it is considered that his knowledge of composition and harmony are wholly intuitive. He has composed several polkas and fantasies, which would do credit to old and experienced writers; and arranged the harmony for military bands wholly unaided, which have been played by good musicians, and accepted by critics, without alteration or correction. What may we not hope from him, when, after having mastered all the laws of harmony and composition, and reached the full stature and maturity of manhood, he bends the full force of a phenominal talent and indomitable will to the development and elevation of this still new and little-understood instrument, the cornet.—*Leader*, Boston.

Trying to write, or speak, or move, or look like some one else, is a poor way of striving for a high attainment. He who would be at his best must be himself. As an eminent art-critic has said concerning imitation in the realm of art, it may also be said concerning imitation in every other realm: "Nothing but peculiarities can ever be repeated, and he who follows will always be behind."

Most mothers have a dread of romps, so they lecture the girls daily on the proprieties, and exhort them to be little ladies. The lot of such children is rather pitiable, for they are deprived of the fun and frolic which they are entitled to. Children—boys and girls—must have exercise to keep them healthy. Running, racing, skipping, climbing,—these are the things that strengthen the muscles, expand the chest, and build up the nerves. The mild dose of exercise taken in the nursery will not invigorate the system like a good romp in the open air. Mothers, therefore, who counsel their little girls to play very quietly make a mistake. Better the laughing, rosy-checked, romping girl than the pale, lily-faced one, who is called every inch a lady. The latter rarely breaks things, or tears her dresses, or tires her mother's patience as the former does; but, after all, what does the tearing and breaking amount to? The girls grow into womanhood soon enough. Let them be children as long as they can. Give them plenty of fresh air and sunlight, and let them run and romp as much as they please. By all means give us hearty, healthy, romping girls, rather than pale-faced little ladies, condemned from their very cradles to nervousness, headache, and similar ailments.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla cures liver complaint, rheumatism, and all diseases of the blood.

The News of Years Ago.

Extracts of Letters that tell all about what was going on.—The Names of a good, large old-fashioned Family.—A Letter that was not written for publication, but all will enjoy reading.

I send you the names of my brother's family with an extract from two letters my sister, Sophia Pride, wrote me when I lived in Berlin, Mass. You may make what use of them you please.

My father, Jonathan Fairbanks, went from Berlin to Harrison in 1800 with two children leaving five in Mass. I was born in the Stiles neihhborhood in Harrison May 10, 1806. My brother Jonathan was born April 1st, 1811. My father moved into Waterford in the vicinity of Temple Hill in 1812, moved into the Pride neighborhood in 1816.

I went to school at Temple Hill to a master from Norway named McAllister; went to the city school in Waterford two winters to Sylvanus Cobb of Norway; went to the Gumbo school one winter to Simon Noble and one to Simon Stevens.

I was at work at Benjamin Fuller's in Norway when Patten Shedd's barn was raised, when his father and Mr. Noyes were killed and was at the funeral of Mr. Shedd. I don't write this for publication only as a little reminiscence of 70 years ago.

Soon after moving to Harrison my father and mother became Methodists and used to go to the Otisfield Gore to meeting, going through the woods, my father taking a hatchet to mark the trees so as not to get lost. How they crossed the river I know not but a Mr. Stevens who used to preach some in Harrison used to disappoint the people often because he could not cross.

I remember when my brother was born the first day of April. I was taken out of bed at night and carried on horseback to our nearest neighbor, Noah Stiles. The snow was some three feet and soft with heavy rain, so the horse went to the bottom at every step.

Old Mr. Stiles was a nice old gentleman, somewhat eccentric. He had twelve or fifteen sheep. They broke away and strayed five or six miles. He found them after searching six days and said it was strange folks did not know they were his. He thought everybody knew his old black sheep.

He had three sons, Jeremy, Stephen and Jacob. Jacob's wife died young. She was the first dead person I ever saw. About this time it was heard there was such a place out West as Ohio and everybody had the Ohio fever. Jacob Stiles started in the spring to find it, taking a hard wood cane. He returned in the fall having worn six inches off his cane but cured of his fever.

The children of Rev. Jonathan and Sylvinia B. Morton Fairbanks: Charles Wesley, dead; Lewis Houghton, dead; Florinda Amanda, Lydia Jane, Mary Anne Houghton, Emeline Morton, Angeline Malissa, Jonathan Robinson, Sylvinia Philophrene Grover, Adwina Caneles, Elizabeth Adriana. Children by the second wife, whose name was Diana Williamson: Bertha, dead; Rev. Charles G. and Johnnie Fairbanks.

Extract from a letter from my sister, Sophia Pride, written June 25, 1826, sixty-four years ago:

Spring is quite forward, the weather warm and very dry. We have had a very trying time with fire. It has run through the woods almost everywhere. It came from Albany down the river back of Mr. Jordan's, run through the swamp around the mill, and all the buildings were in great danger but none burned. It has burnt your land in some places very hard. It has run through the swamp between here and Mr. McWain's down to his old place and there it stopped.

Lucretia Wood has another son. They talk of calling his name Ephraim. If you don't want it called so send it a name from Berlin, for if they keep on they can't find names for all their boys. She had three before Henry was three years old.

There are some alterations about here. Mr. Brigham has moved into Capt. Wetherby's house. Thad Brown has bought the house where he lives. Eli Longley keeps tavern. Jack Jewell left his folks last winter and went to Bangor. Was returning home, stole a horse. They took him and put him in jail. He is to have his trial this week. Patten Shedd is married, moved his wife home about a fortnight ago. Old Mr. Thadeus Brown is courting the widow Noyes. We hear he is to be married in July. William Brown is courting Ruth Knights. Flanders Knights is courting Lucinda Brown. Lois Watson they say will be married next fall. The Martin flies often. He was over here last Sunday. He married Mary Wood. Nancy Pride has gone to Sweden to S. Sanderson's. Charles Pride has gone to Portland to work for $19 per month. Benjamin Pride works to Mr. McWain's. We are much pleased with our new neighbors. They appear to be the best of folks. It is a general time of health about here. No deaths of late but old Mr. Green, the oldest man in town. Mr. Pierce of Norway was making fence when his son fell a tree upon him and broke his back and he died about a fortnight ago.

Extract from another letter written a year later, June 27th.

Amelia Wood is married to Nathan Horr of Norway. Mary Wood was published last Sunday and is to be married in about five weeks. Levi Brown is married and has a boy that they call Artemus Ward Brown. His name was Charles F. Brown.

A Country Boy.

I have always found it an advantage to me that part of my boyhood was spent on a farm, or rather on several farms, says Edward Eggleston in the American Agriculturist. There are so many little domestic arts that a farmer boy learns and to which the town-bred lad is a stranger. One day when there happened to be nobody else left on the place who could milk the cow, and the prospect was that my grandchildren would not have a cup of milk for supper, I was glad to show the skill in that line I had acquired on an Indiana farm. My neighbor, Mrs. Murphy, passing by, exclaimed: "Och, Mr. Eggleston, and it isn't ivery jintleman from the city that could lind a hand and milk a cow that way."

I remember to have read of two great poets, Wordsworth and Southey, who once went on an excursion with their publisher, Mr. Cave. All three of them tried in vain to pull the collar off their horse, but it seemed impossible to them to get it off without taking the horse's head along with it.

They finally concluded that the horse's head had swelled after the collar was put on. But a milk-maid came up and turned the collar round, and so pulled it off to the surprise of the great men, who had not thought of the plan.

There is no reason why farm life should not be favorable to education. That which makes an educated man is the habit of thinking about what he sees, hears or reads. Reading alone will not do it. There were many men working in the stone quarry with Hugh Miller; but Hugh was the only one of them that thought about anything beyond his wages and his dinner. He studied to find out about the fossil animals which he saw in the rocks under his hand. By the time he had worked in the quarry sixteen years, he had become a great geologist, and the world delighted to read the books which he wrote.

There was once living in Pennsylvania, before the revolution, a Quaker farmer by the name of John Bartram. One day in plowing he plucked a violet and pulled it apart. "Here," he said, "are the various parts of this flower, the names of which I do not know, nor their uses. It seems a shame that I have walked over violets and other flowers all my life without knowing anything about them." He then made up his mind that he would study botony. But as all the books on botony at that time were in Latin he had to begin by studying Latin grammar. Nevertheless, he became a very famous botonist before he died, and he remained to his death a very good farmer and did much to improve the methods of farming in his time.

Some Bethel Horses.

Seth Walker and son sold recently to a Portland gentleman their black 5 year old mare. She was a fine roader and of good size, sired by Young Champion, dam a noted mare by Green Mountain Morrill. The price paid was $300. They have an own sister to her one year younger, and an own brother which is 7 years old and a beauty, very stylish and can go sharp.

G. P. Bean has the best three weeks old colt we ever saw, sired by Also, dam by Gen. Scott by Gen. Knox; he is large, nice made, and resembles his sire very much.

Tom Hastings has a colt two weeks old by Prescott L. by Prescott that came of his black pony that was brought from the Indian Territory, and is a very smart running mare. This colt seems to be a little pacing wonder. When only a week old it would strike out and pace as clean as an old ringer. The sire or dam never paced a step in the world.

G. A. Hastings' yearling colt by Rockefeller is doing well. He weighs 800 pounds and is nice gaited.

Charles Farrington, the new livery man, has a nice looking gelding by son of Daniel Boone. This horse is good style, good size and quite a good stepper.—*Gazette*.

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Buckfield has by the census returns 1200 inhabitants, in 1880, 1379.

J. Stanley, 3d, South Hiram has been appointed postmaster, vice Eugene F. Stanley.

The boy who isn't strong enough to chop wood or beat the carpet is strong enough to hammer a regulation base ball clean out of the lot and then gallop all around the bases like a steam engine.

H. H. Bryant of Dixfield has been chosen principal of the Maine Central Institute at Pittsfield, and has sold his interest in the firm of Stanley & Bryant to Charles Stanley of Dixfield. He has also sold his half of the house recently built in company with Newton Stowell to Fred Newton.

The editor of the Portland Transcript, Edward A. Elwell, who died July 15 was one of the ablest and best known newspaper men in the State, and was one of the founders of the Maine Press Association. He had been at the head of the Portland Transcript since 1848, and the standing and character of that paper is a monument to his ability and worth.

A request is made to those private families who take summer boarders to send their names and post office address to "W. W." care ADVERTISER, Norway, Me. It is hoped that everyone who has any city boarders or can accommodate any will comply with the request. See ad. Information wanted in another column.

The Lomb Prize Essay on "Practical Sanitary and Economic Cooking Adapted to Persons of Moderate and Small Means," by Mrs. Mary Hinman Abel, is printed in book form of 182 pages and contain the best information for good and economical living we have ever seen. It gives bills of fare in different classes, in prices for a family of six, from 13 cts. per day per person to 23 cts. It also tells how to cook the food. The price of the book is 40 cts. bound in cloth and 25 cts. in paper.

A sentimental journey was made by Enos Chamberlain and Dr. Jeff. C. Gallison, on the occasion of the Doctor's recent visit. Sentimental, because it was a visit to their old town, North Woodstock, where their happy boyhood and youth were spent, and over whose every scene rests the halo and glamor of sacred memories. They went by private team. En route, they met their former townsman, ex-Governor Sidney Perham—an own cousin to Mr. Chamberlain—who was driving out near South Paris. With him they had a most agreeable chat, chiefly concerning the principal object of their journey, to wit, to make arrangements for a reunion of old schoolmates of Woodstock, to be held at Bryant's Pond, in that town, about Sept. 11th. Arrived at Woodstock, the two spent a very pleasant season calling on neighbors, old and new, and visiting the scenes hallowed by early associations. The proposition to hold such reunion met with marked favor, and the machinery was quickly set in motion to that end, in the selection of committees and formulation of program. The arrangements so far as perfected are: Address of welcome by Hon. Sidney Perham of Paris; oration by Rev. H. S. Whitman of Augusta; a poem, author to be announced; necrology by W. B. Lapham, the well-known historian; valedictory by Dr. Jeff. C. Gallison of Franklin, Mass. There will also be five-minute speeches, a picnic dinner, and other features. Prof. Chase and other eminent gentlemen besides those already named, natives, or former residents of Woodstock, will be present, and the occasion will be a red-letter day in the town's later history.—*News*.

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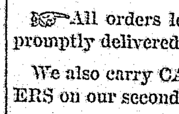
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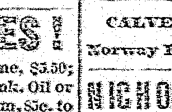
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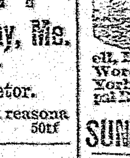
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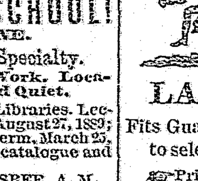
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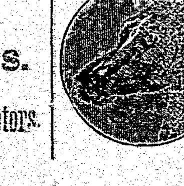
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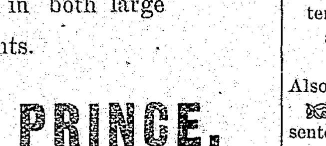


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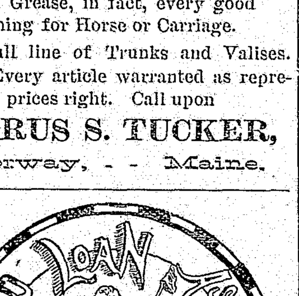
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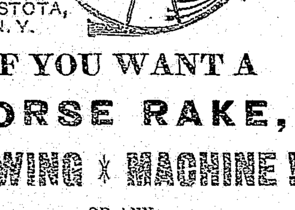
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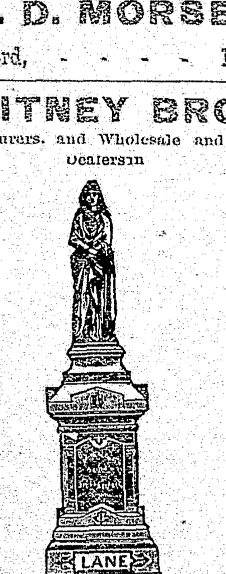
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NOTICE.

Non-Resident Taxes in the town of Stow, in the County of Oxford, for the year 1889.

The following list of taxes on real estate of non-resident owners in the town of Stow, for the year 1889, in bills committed to Charlie W. Day, Collector of said town, on the third day of May, A. D. 1889, has been returned by him to me as remaining unpaid on the second day of May, A. D. 1890, by his certificate of that date, and they now remain unpaid; and notice is hereby given that if said taxes, interest and charges are not paid into the treasury of said town within eighteen months from the date of commitment of said bills, so much of the real estate taked as is sufficient to pay the amount due therefor, including interest and charges, will, without further notice, be sold at public auction, at the Town House in said Stow, on the thirteenth day of November, A. D. 1890, at two o'clock, P. M. (28-30)

Heirs of David J. Whitney,—description, homestead; 50 acres, valued at $300; tax 9.60.

Heirs of David J. Whitney,—description, P. Eastman; Lot 8, 55 acres, valued at $100; tax $3.00. Amount of tax, $12.00

Moses W. Abbott,—description, J. Eastman; Lot 6, 70 acres, valued at $175; tax $5.25.

Moses W. Abbot,—description, J. Hazeltine; Lot 4, 20 acres, valued at $200; tax $6.00. Amount of tax, $11.25

B. F. GUPTILL, Treas'r of the town of Stow.

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Democratic County Convention.

The Democratic voters of the County of Oxford, are requested to meet in convention at the Court House, on Paris Hill, on Thursday, August 14th, 1890, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the several offices, to wit: Two Senators, Clerk of Courts, Register of Deeds for each of the two Districts, County Treasurer, County Attorney, one County Commissioner, and Sheriff; and for the transaction of such other business as may regularly come before it.

The basis of representation will be one delegate for each town and plantation, and an additional delegate for each 75 votes, and majority fraction thereof, cast for the Democratic candidate for Governor in the election of 1888.
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R. A. FRYE, Chairman.

Prohibition County Convention.

The Prohibitionist of Oxford County will hold a mass convention, Friday, August 1, 1890, at 10:30 a.m., in Grand Army Hall, South Paris.
GEO. L. LIBBY, Sec'y Co. Com.

Joel Goodwin of South Bethel and Wm. Johnson of North Fryeburg have had their pensions increased.

Harrisons vs. Bridgtons at North Bridgton next Saturday at 2 p. m. The contest is to be for the silver ball. Admission 10 cents.

The new serial story will commence next week. Be sure and get a copy of the paper and read the opening chapters of "Ariel."

Can you accommodate city boarders? If so, how many? Let "W. W." of the ADVERTISER know. A postal card addressed to him will answer the purpose of a letter. See ad. Only private families who take or want to get city boarders need answer.

Half fare on the G. T. R. from all points in Maine to South Paris and return next Saturday. Special train to Portland after the game. This is on account of the great ball game at South Paris between the Murphy Balsams and the Oxfords.

"From now until fall" says A. J. Varrell & Co. of Auburn "we are to sell our stock of monumental work at a low price. Our ad. in your paper means just what it says and when an Oxford County man or woman comes to us or writes to us, they will find it to be true."

The Eleventh Maine Regiment Veteran Association will hold its Annual Reunion for 1890 at Skowhegan, Me., Tuesday, Aug. 19. The business meeting will be held in Grand Army Hall on arrival of morning trains from Portland and Bangor, about 10 o'clock, a. m., at which time further order of exercises will be announced.

The ADVERTISER is published ostensibly for the public good, but in reality for the good of the publisher, and is conducted strictly on the European plan. If you don't see what you want, ask for it. If you don't get what you ask for, go without it. It recognizes no fixed orbit, but wanders along the milky way of local news and round among the political fixed stars of Maine in a go-as-you-please manner. It is owned by none; it fears none, neither does it care for the success of any of them. If you want the paper and are willing to pay for it, we will send it to you. If you don't want it, it is just the same. We claim the proud distinction of being the only really good local journal in North America published for revenue only, having no constitution, no preamble or by-laws. We do however, have a circulation of more than 2,495 copies per week. The price of our paper is $1.50 per year, cash in advance.

SOUTH ANDOVER.

Haying is the order of the day. Some are nearly done while others have but just commenced.

Mrs. Abbie Wyman of Chelsea, Mass., is visiting relatives at East Andover.

The Sunday-school here is now well under way and promises to be a success. The school now numbers about 30 and is superintended by John Bailey. We now have classes and teachers as follows: Class A, John Bailey; class B, F. A. Perkins; class C, E. M. Bailey; class D, Miss Bailey. Other classes will be formed as the needs of the school may demand. At its close last Sabbath the school was addressed by Rev. F. V. Norcross, who in a very pleasant and instructive manner spoke from the words: "Seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things shall be added to you."

The late cyclone caused a great deal of damage that even time can not repair.

H. D. Abbott is cutting the grass on the Adams farm.

H. M. Hodgman is in receipt of a large consignment of fine jewelry.

Bartlett the jeweler is in town.

Lone Mountain Lodge, I. O. G. T., closed its series of literary entertainments last Friday evening with music, declamations and reading. And now comes the counting of scores which we await in "fear and trembling." We presume the crowning feature of the quarter will be the grand supper. The question now is, "Which side will have to pay?" The Lodge should adopt a similar method of entertainment for next quarter. Election of officers next Friday.

A union of Sabbath-schools and picnic appointed for August 5, in which the schools in town will unite with those from Rumford, in a grand gala day for the children. All are invited, for "we are but children of a larger growth." Don't forget to bring a basket or two of good things to eat.

Report says one of Farrar's steamboats at Richardson Lake was burned one night last week.

DIXFIELD.

Mrs W. E. Jordan has gone to Freeport.

Mrs. Amanda Yeaton has returned to Jay Bridge.

Mrs. Scott Newman is gaining.

Henry Luce bought a fine gray horse at Auburn last week.

O. F. Taylor of Turner was in town Sunday.

L. R. Hall has bought the grass on H. A. Stone's farm.

Mrs. A. W. Smith of Biddeford is in town.

Maurice Wilson has a fine weanling colt by Col. West.

NORTH BUCKFIELD.

A plentiful crop of raspberries.

Mrs. Capen has gone to Lowell, Mass.

Mrs. Emery has gone to Old Orchard, and Mamie Davis has gone to Auburn to visit her sisters.

Mrs. S. G. Barrett of Fair View Stock Farm, spent last week at V. D. Bicknell's.

Oscar Turner of Greene, was at Elijah Turner's, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Richardson of North Easton, Mass., and her daughter, Mrs. Harry Bean and child, of Jay, were at J. A. Warren's last week.

Mrs. Frank Heald is on the sick list again.

Clara Bates of Sumner, is visiting at her aunts, Mrs. Renaldo Monk's.

Ormsby Warren is agent for the Davis sewing machine.

Uncle Tyler passed away the 17th; funeral services the 18th.

Mrs. R. Monk carried her mother, Mrs. Keene, to sumner, last week.

Charles C. Record of Portland, is visiting in this place.

Corry Bonney and wife were at J. C. Heald's, Saturday.

J. F. Bicknell and wife spent her Sabbath, at Norway.

GREENWOOD.

When Ransom Cole and his crew worked on the road at Greenwood, they hauled gravel from a knoll near his barn, and at a depth of more than four feet dug out a human skeleton, apparently that of a child, six or eight years old. Traces of the cloth in which the body was wrapped were plainly to be seen, but no wood to indicate that a coffin or box had been used. Everything went to show that it had been buried a good many years, but when or by whom no one has the least idea, says the Democrat.

BRYANT'S POND.

Our school closed last Friday and Miss Nan Rankin has returned to her home in Hiram.

Huldah Jackson is slowly improving.

Mrs. Belle Smith and little daughter Laura, are stopping here from Lawrence, Mass. Mrs. S. is in very poor health.

Mrs. G. L. Sawyer with her sister Georgie Bryant are at home with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Bryant. We are glad to know that Miss Bryant is improving after her severe illness of a year and hope to see her able to attend to her work in Portland where she is clerk in a store.

Arthur Bessee met with an accident in our new chair factory, sawing his thumb quite badly and causing a few days vacation.

Rev. L. E. Pease with Mr. A. Dudley spent last week at the mountains and enjoyed a fine trip.

Chester Stevens, who so suddenly disappeared from our village two weeks ago has not been heard from since. It is whispered that he may be drowned in our pond and if so the men of our place ought to turn out and find out.

Amos Bryant has two of the finest colts in Oxford county. One a sucker and the other, Lady Patchen, two years old is fine style and shows great speed, is an own brother to Amos B. which is owned by Boston parties.

Mrs. Diantha Edwards is gaining slowly.

We were glad to see so many new faces in our church last Sunday and hope to see them every Sunday, for our sermons deserve a large audience.

Only $1.25 to Portland and return on the K. of P. excursion Saturday.

Our usually peaceful community has recently been quite startled by the report that a gang of desperadoes, some three or four in number, were prowling around the buildings of Greenville Whitman who lives near the G. T. R. some two or three miles below the village. It was said that a shot fired through the window of Mr. W. narrowly missed him and the ball lodged in a casing on the opposite side of the house. It was reported too, that neighbors who came to assist Mr. W. in protecting himself and his property had seen the villains and fired at them several times and at last the excitement ran so high that quite a large party from West Paris went up to stay with Mr. W. over night and try to investigate the matter. Sheriff Wormwell was also called to investigate the trouble, and the truth of the matter seems to be this. The stories and rumors are of course exaggerated largely, but it seems that certain parties for reasons best known to themselves, have been playing a pretty shrewd game to drive Mr. W. away from his home. No arrests have been made and the trouble seems to be quieting down.

Haying is now in full blast, and the hay crop in this vicinity promises to be about the same as last year. A great many of our farmers have decided that it is easier to get their hay with machines, and quite a number have been purchased this year.

Ansel Moody, D. A. Cole, H. C. Bacon, Nelson Jackson, Willard Whittle and several others have purchased horse rakes this summer. The "Champion" and the "Yankee" are the kinds purchased. D. A. Cole has also bought a mowing machine.

All of our summer schools are now closed. Those in the village and Curtis districts finished last week. Those not missing a day in the Dunham district are Charlie Denham, Alice and Idell Suckles. Those not missing in spelling were Maud Bonney, Lottie Bonney, Lena Bacon, Charlie Denham, Alice and Idell Suckles.

Considerable excitement has been felt throughout this village during the past week on account of the sudden and mysterious disappearance of Chester Stevens, a young man about 16 years of age who has been working as a section hand on the Grand Trunk for the last few months. He was boarding with Mr. Danforth, who is foreman on the section, and left his watch hanging in his room and took no clothing with him excepting those he wore. He was last seen Wednesday evening, July 9th at about 7 o'clock standing on the railroad track between the depot and freight house, since which time no traces can be found. Letters have been sent to some of his relatives in Portland and Mechanic Falls and the replies state that he has not been there. The shores of the pond have been searched but no traces can be found. He had been anxiously looking for a letter and was seen at the post office just before he was last seen on the crossing. He was a steady young man with no intemperate habits and a member of Franklin Grange.

Our census enumerator tells us that Woodstock has lost over 80 of its population since the census of 1880.

Meetings are now held every Sabbath at the Universalist church and are largely attended. Mr. Pease is an earnest and devoted worker and liked by all. The S. S. also has quite a membership and and appears to be doing a good work with George Stephens as superintendent.

Mrs. Isabella Cushman is reported to be in poor health, and Jacob Curtis of Greenwood is also on the sick list.

J. M. Day has moved down to the farm with his father for the present, Mr. Buswell and wife having left there about a week ago.

Bernard Andrews is helping to cut the hay on the town farm.

Augustus Bacon of West Paris is haying for Charles Young.

HANOVER.

School closed in dist. No. 1 last Friday afternoon with a picnic at the grove. The school was taught by Minnie Saunders, a very nice teacher. We hope to get her to teach the fall term.

Mrs. Dollie Wealock and daughter are visiting her mother, Mrs. Brown.

Mrs. Knapp, son and wife from the West are in town visiting for a week.

G. L. Smith & Co. are rebuilding the barn that the wind blew down. It will be the best barn in town when repaired.

Mrs. S. W. Holt has gone to Berlin Falls N. H., to visit his niece.

NORTH BRIDGTON.

Luville Hale and wife of Boston are at A. A. Libby's.

Mrs. Frank Hill is visited by her sister Mrs. Josie Robbins.

Mrs. Will Lakin and child have been at Charles Hannaford's the past week.

Etta Kimball is at her brother's, H. C. Kimball's.

Mrs. Gill, Mrs. Annie Barber and little daughter are at Chas. Glines'.

Ada and Gertrude Cobb are visiting relatives at Mechanic Falls.

Mrs. Virgil Johnson and two children, of North Norway are spending several weeks at Byron Kimball's.

Ina Kimball's many friends are glad to welcome her after an absence of nearly a year.

Mrs. C. P. Riggs is visited by her neice Iva Charles of Fryeburg.

Glines' Grove is commencing to meet with the patronage which it deserves. Tuesday last, the Cong'l S. S., from the Centre, held their picnic in the grove. All expressed themselves much pleased with the accommodations for pleasure, which it affords.

Rev. J. R. Shaw, who delivered a very interesting lecture here a short time ago, was in town Friday.

Annie and Florence Jackson have returned to Waltham, Mass. They are employed in the Waltham Watch factory.

Edward Staples and family of Biddeford have arrived at the Frisbee Homestead for their summer sojourn.

Nellie A. Hamlin, who is employed in a store in Sanford, has been very sick with neuralgia round the heart, but is recovering now. Her mother received a telegram calling her to Nellie, but was unable to go on account of ill health.

The remains of Rev. H. Bernard Carpenter who died very suddenly at Sorrento, were brought to Bridgton Friday. Funeral services were held at the residence of R. T. Baily Sunday July 20th. Interment at North Bridgton Cemetery. Several of the members of his church in Boston came here. The floral display was beautiful, comprising gifts from many of the deceased's friends in Bridgton and Boston.

RUMFORD CENTRE.

Grace Henderson from Chicago is visiting at V. D. Kimball's, also Juliet Kimball from Worcester, Mass., is stopping with her brother, V. D. Kimball.

Blueberries are scarce on White Cap this year, owing to wet weather.

R. G. Dolloff lost a fine colt by being caught in a wire fence.

Every town where SAVENA is introduced the sale is larger than all other washing compounds.

NEWRY.

Freeland Harlow from the West visited Mrs. C. C. Harlow last week.

We had a very pleasant call from some Bethel people this week, also Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Ingalls of Portland. Mrs. Ingalls is in poor health and has been stopping with her sister Mrs. Bean at Bethel for a few weeks and is rapidly gaining in the pure air of the country.

A. R. Tuell of West Paris stayed in town last Tuesday night with his stallion A. R. Y.

N. W. Frost and Asa Stearns have exchanged horses. White horses are quite the rage at Newry.

The farmers are busily haying and are getting more of a crop than they expected.

Percis Foster closed her school last Friday after a term of ten weeks. We think the teacher must possess a remarkable degree of patience and kindness to get along so nicely as some of the scholars were very young.

NORTH WEST BETHEL.

Sewell Walker is at work for Herman Skillings.

Mrs. G. B. Mills is stopping with her aged grandmother Mrs. Betsey Scribner.

Mrs. S. K. Bennett has gone to Portland on a visit to friends.

Mrs. M. Penley is at home from Portland.

Milt. Penley has had to remodel his slaughter house as the rats got too familiar. They would carry off considerable meat every night.

Fred Howard is putting an addition on to his house.

Brownie Stearns has been sick for a few days past.

MASON.

Roy Grover is haying for Levi Bartlett.

Fannie Wheeler has been visiting at S. O. Grover's.

A. G. Lovejoy has gone to East Otisfield to cut the hay on the farm he has hired there.

Viola Bennett is at work at Bethel at Leander Barker's.

Mertie Davis is at work at Payson Grover's, West Bethel.

Rev. Mr. Davis is helping Jarvis Mains hay.

Mrs. Sarah Mason is better though she has frequent bad spells with her heart.

Mrs. Cyrene Bean visited friends at Bethel last week.

Elmer Stiles frequents the brook and brings in his string of trout.

Circle meets next week with Mrs. Davis.

EAST DENMARK.

Haymakers have made the hay fly the past week and some have finished. The job is not what it was in years past when they had to do all the mowing with a hand-scythe, and hand rake it.

E. L. Lewis is cutting the grass on Geo. Walker's farm.

Andrew Smith is at work for Myron Deering.

Erastus Deering has been very sick but is better.

T. I. Lowell has finished house painting at Bridgton and is at home doing his haying.

Mrs. Hannah Lincoln and niece of Cornish are visiting Daniel Lowell.

Herbert Noyes of Bridgton passed through the place one day last week and he wasn't going slow either on his Victor bicycle.

Mr. Trask of Bridgton preaches every Sunday afternoon at the Methodist church. A Sunday School and a choir have been organized and the meetings are well attended.

Prof. D. W. Abercrombridge, wife, Misses Edith and Esther, Martin Ralph, and D. W. jr., and Miss Wolworth, N. Y., are boarding at Wentworth Cottage, and more coming this week.

Edward Egan of Boston was a recent visitor at Mrs. J. W. Davis'.

Principal, Geo. H. Larrabee of Buxton High School, and wife are visiting her father D. F. Evans.

FRYEBURG CENTER.

Mrs. Charlotte Farrington Lockwood, of Weymouth, Mass., is visiting at Toll Bridge, her birth place, after an absence of 17 years.

Lizzie Grant of Boston is spending her vacation among her relatives in this vicinity.

Nellie M. Goldthwaite of Peabody, Mass., visited at Moses Chandler's Friday and Saturday.

Will Day has finished work at Mrs. Walker's and is haying for Sam Evans.

Lillie M. Walker of Lovell visited Mrs. B. C. Charles last week.

The Grange admitted ten new members at their last meeting.

Charles Chandler is cutting the grass for Mrs. E. G. Adams and Moses Chandler, and mowed over six acres in five hours of good grass with a light span of horses.

Quite a number of horses in the neighborhood have been badly hurt by barbed wire.

Lonie Hutchins is at work at Henry Walker's in Lovell.

LOVELL.

Harold and Mabel Andrews of Lawrence, Mass., are stopping at Fairview, also Mr. and Mrs. Robertson and daughter. Mrs. R. was a former resident of this town, Miss Ruth Baker.

Benj. Russell has gone to Fryeburg to work, and J. F. Stearns to Milton, N. H.

Mrs. A. F. Horr attended church Sunday for the first time since her illness. She has been sick a long time.

A little son of Mr. Whitlock who is stopping with J. M. Farrington has had an attack of measles.

C. W. Stanley has bought a good mare of J. W. Howe.

CORNISH.

Irving Pike lost one of his team horses last week.

Ice cream and cake for sale every Saturday night at Smith and Warren's basement store, the proceeds to go to the renovation of the Congregational church.

The garden party given to the children by Rev. David Martin, was a very pretty affair and a successful event. The nice grounds of the parsonage were prettily decorated with Japanese lanterns.

A horse belonging to Everett Lord was hurt quite badly last Monday by getting caught in a barbed wire fence.

Annie Bachelder and friend of Boston are at Achsah Pike's.

The village is now well filled with young people who seem to be enjoying every day of the pleasant vacation time.

Dr. Stiles of Saccarappa, who has been making a short visit here, left for home last Saturday.

Owen P. Smith left last Monday for Portland to attend the Summer term of the Portland Medical School.

We learn that our friend, formerly Iretta O. Pike, is now Mrs. Benjamin C. Lincoln, having been married in Boston, the 15th.

NORTH WATERFORD.

Mrs. James Rice with her children, from Boston, are visiting at J. F. Rice's, also Mrs. Fred Stone and boy of Norway are visiting at the same place.

George Hazen with a crew of men have been haying for the past week and are now on the place formerly the Green farm. They probably will work a week to finish it.

Mr. Livingston, our pastor, made an exchange Sunday with Rev. Miss Angell of Norway, who delivered an interesting sermon. Mr. Livingston preached to us in the evening, notwithstanding the fatigue of the day, and his sermon was good and well delivered.

Mrs. Llewellyn Jordan's mother of Portland is visiting her.

Mr. Young from Boston, who is visiting at Mrs. Gorham Knight's with his family, has, for his wife's amusement while here, bought a horse of C. M. Knight. It is perfectly safe and a good roader. Mr. Young never rides for pleasure as he cannot enjoy it and only does so when necessity compells him. He talks of spending the winter with his family at Washington. The horse will be left in the care of C. G. Knight.

C. G. Knight is building a piazza on his house which will improve it much in looks as well as convenience.

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WEST SUMNER.

Supt. A. D. Cotton with his wife, son Auburn, and daughter Nellie of Windsor, Vt., are the guests of Mrs. Cotton's father, Hiram Pulsifer.

Arabel Phelps of Manchester, N. H., is visiting her sisters, Mrs. William Abbott and Mrs. K. P. Bowker.

Aaron Cotton and family from Windsor, Vt., are visiting at Hiram Pulsifer's.

Charley Pulsifer and family from Norway, came to his brother's, George E., last Saturday, stopping over night.

H. L. Ryerson works for Chas. Crockett through haying, and Lesley Sherwood works for J. R. Pulsifer.

Lucien Robinson, with his brother's wife and child have made a visit at W. Ryerson's. Mrs. Gurney returned with them, having passed a week with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Fuller of Canton, at the old homestead of Mrs. Fuller in Sumner.

Mrs. Llewellyn Heald and two daughters, Laura and Ada Bonney, Georgia Lawrence and Emma Ryerson went to Old Orchard last Friday.

George E. Pulsifer bought a cow last Monday of Charles Handy.

L. L. Gardiner has been more comfortable for a few days. Hopes are now entertained of his recovery. His physician has called another from Auburn at two different times to consult with him.

Mrs. Clara Keene of North Buckfield is stopping for a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Clinton Bates.

Mrs. O. G. Chandler, with friends went to Woodstock recently to visit her aunt, Mrs. G. Dowe.

While calling on Mrs. Jacob Lothrop a few days since, we were shown, though small, some fine looking cheeses made from one cow. We hope to sample one later. Mr. Lothrop has an extra cow.

O. G. Chandler had last year's apples, July 14th. No extra care was taken to keep them.

The men of our village, together with the more immediate neighbors of Z. B. Starbird turned out last Monday and Tuesday and cut and put safe into the barn his upland hay, some 14 or 15 acres. It will be remembered that Mr. S. broke his leg about four weeks ago. It is not doing as well as we would wish.

WEST BETHEL.

Mrs. N. H. Palmer of Lovell has been here to visit her sister, Mrs. Milton Holt.

W. O. Hall and wife from the West have been stopping a few days at W. H. Merrow's.

J. E. Pike and wife have been to Groveton, N. H., to visit Mr. Pike's brothers.

Lottie Pike, who has been here living with her uncle, J. E. Pike, has gone to Groveton to live with another uncle of hers.

J. G. Rich was in this village last Friday. He has an office at Bethel where he can be consulted on all pension matters and all entitled to such will do well to give him a call, for he is shrewd and will give all intrusted to him a sharp looking after.

Mrs. Horace Walker is in very poor health.

John Wight of Gilead was at this village last Monday.

Eva Bennett is at work for Mrs. John Rollins.

Frank Goodnow and wife and little daughter went to Bethel last Sunday to visit Mrs. Goodnow's sister Rosie.

Charlie Bacon has a nice little wheelbarrow, a present from his grandmother which makes him feel rather proud.

Fred Ordway buys eggs and live poultry.

NORTH NORWAY.

Mrs. Mary Needham is stopping at her old home at Noble's Corner.

H. S. Judkins from Denver, Col., made his friends here a short visit. He has a lucrative position in J. J. Joslin's dry goods emporium, having charge of the Carpet and Drapery department. He expresses himself strongly in favor of the West and says nothing would induce him to live again in New England.

Mr. Fisher and wife from Oxford Village visited at Rollin Towne's July 19.

School closed at Swift's Corner July 18th, after a very successful term taught by Mattie Tracy.

Etta Noyes has been stopping at her sister's, Mrs. Kate Cox's, the past week.

O. W. H. Judkins and Chet Howe have gone to Albany to hay for Mrs. Atkinson, a rich Californian widow.

Eshburn Judkins has gone to Upton for two or three weeks haying and fishing.

Two young gentlemen by the name of Perkins rode up from Portland on bicycles to Amos French's recently.

MAGALLOWAY PLANTATION.

Nice weather but rather cold for the season.

Deer have been seen several times in the fields near Flint's Hotel.

Two Colebrook parties and a Nashua party have passed through here during the last week to the camping grounds farther up the river.

Mrs. Fred Chandler returned from Milan last Saturday, where she has been making a short visit.

A. C. Sturtevant of New York has been the guest of D. M. Sturtevant during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Buckman gave a reception at Lennell's Hall last Monday evening. Quite a large company was present. The young couple received a number of nice presents. The evening was spent in dancing and having a good time generally. A nice treat was passed around, including oranges, candy and lemonade.

PARIS HILL.

Stella N. Rawson, who has been spending the past half-year in Paris, returned Friday to her home in Newton Lower Falls, Massachusetts.

Fred C. Hammond, M. D., of New York, is visiting his native village.

Sanford Fogg, A. B., principal of Island Pond High School is stopping in town.

S. U. Hawkes of Mechanic Falls is visiting town.

Joseph Frye, who set fire to the Morris Clark mill in Oxford and incarcerated in jail in this village, has been quite sick. On Thursday, the day set for his trial, Deputy Sheriff Bassett had to come three times with a physician before he felt himself able to go to the municipal court at Norway. He plead guilty.

W. H. Howland of Boston is stopping at his summer home, Mountain View Stock Farm.

J. F. Rawson, esq., Bangor, is visiting his native town.

HEBRON.

Frank Reed is painting Hiram Everett's new house.

Rev. A. P. Wedge of Paris preached at this place Sunday afternoon.

Dr. James Sturtevant and family of Dixfield have been visiting his father, J. D. Sturtevant.

Samuel Freeman left town Tuesday to visit his son, Edward G. Freeman of Malden, Mass.

Alida M. Graves is visiting relatives in Lewiston.

Mrs. Carrie Bray has a rose bush that has 746 buds on it. The bush is about four feet in height.

More workmen on the new academy arrived from Portland Monday. Twelve men are now at work and the building is progressing quite rapidly.

Eva Barrows is canvassing in this vicinity for a book entitled "Manners, Culture and Dress." The volume contains over 500 pages, finely illustrated, and is a very excellent work.

Etta Sturtevant is canvassing in Temple with the same book.

Report of school in district No. 8: Scholars not absent, Lizzie Bearce, Millie Pratt, Minnie George, Mabel Bearce, Willie Winchester, Gertie George. Scholars not late, Emily Bearce, Lizzie Bearce, Ira Bearce, Mabel Bearce, Willie Winchester, Delia Bearce, Alice Bearce, Chester Skillings.

Epoch.

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HIRAM.

The postoffice at East Hiram was broken into Wednesday night last week. Entrance was gained by prying open a shutter and raising a window at the back side of the building. The thief or thieves secured about six dollars in small change. It is thought the postoffice at Hiram was attempted, as postmaster Boynton's night assistant, "Jack," was heard to growl.

MILTON PLANTATION

Died in Milton, July 8th, of consumption, Mrs. Sarah, wife of J. J. Lapham.

Huldah Jackson, who was so badly hurt by being thrown from a carriage, is greatly improved and will soon be able to be moved home.

John D. Davis has a new Buckeye mowing machine.

Perl Andrews and Henry Bean of Auburn visited us last week.

Mrs. L. W. Hackett and Mrs. Olive Andrews of Auburn are visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Special Announcement.

We have made arrangements with Dr. B. J. Kendall Co., publishers of "A Treatise on the Horse and his Diseases" which will enable all our subscribers to obtain a copy of that valuable work *free* by sending their address (enclosing a two-cent stamp for mailing same) to DR. B. J. KENDALL CO., ENOSBURGH FALLS, VT. This book is now recognized as standard authority upon all diseases of the horse, as its phenomenal sale attests, over four million copies having been sold in the past ten years, a sale never before reached by any publication in the same period of time. We feel confident that our patrons will appreciate the work, and be glad to avail themselves of this opportunity of obtaining a valuable book.

It is necessary that you mention this paper in sending for the "Treaties."—This offer will remain open for only a short time. 29-38

BIRTHS.

In West Buckfield, July 18, to the wife of A. N. Bonney, a daughter.
In Winthrop, July 15, to the wife of A. W. Whittier, a daughter.
In Milton Plantation, to the wife of Elmer Sessions, a son.
In Edes Falls, July 16, to the wife of E. A. Harriman, a son. (Arthur Leon.)
In Paris, July 11, to the wife of Will Shaw, a son.
In Wilson's Mills, July 8, to the wife of D. A. Cameron, a daughter.
In Harrison, July 17, to the wife of C. H. Durfee, a son.
In Locke's Mills, July 16, to the wife of Joseph A. Jackson, a son.
In Hebron, July 14, to the wife of Cyrus Pratt, a son.
In Hebron, July 16, to the wife of Herbert T. Glover, a son. (10 lbs.)

MARRIAGES.

In Cambridgeport, Mass., George H. Towle of Dixfield, and Carrie S. Robertson of Cambridgeport.
In Bethel, July 15, by Rev. F. E. Barton, Charles A. McLellan and Phebe R. Thurston, both of Errol, N. H.
In Turner, July 16, Charles Keene of Hebron, and Lillia Ramsdell of Turner.

DEATHS.

In South Paris, July 18, Mary J., wife of Wallace Berce, aged 24 years, 7 months and 18 days.
In Milton, July 8, Mrs. Sarah, wife of J. J. Lapham, aged 41 years.
In East Waterford, July 20, D. A. Kilgore.
In South Casco, July 13, Mary Day, aged 30 years.
In Bethel, July 14, S. S. Stanley, aged 74 years.
In Paris, July 16, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Harding.
In Avon, Mass., July 6, Abiel C. Graham, formerly of Rumford, aged 62 years.
In South Casco, July 6, Mrs. Wm. B. Mitchell, aged 65 years.

The Majority

Of so-called cough-cures do little more than impair the digestive functions and create bile. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, on the contrary, while it cures the cough, does not interfere with the functions of either stomach or liver. No other medicine is so safe and efficacious in diseases of the throat and lungs.

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The subscriber hereby gives public notice that he has been duly appointed by the Honorable Judge of Probate for the county of Oxford, and assumed the trust of Administrator of the estate of FANNY MILLNER, late of Norway, in said county deceased, by giving bond as the law directs; he therefore requests all persons indebted to the estate of said deceased to make immediate payment, and those who have any demands thereon to exhibit the same to CHARLES S. AKERS.
July 15, 1890. 30-32

STATE OF MAINE.

OXFORD, ss.—July, 16th, A. D. 1890.

This is to give notice, that on the 16th day of July, A. D. 1890, a Warrant in Insolvency was issued out of the Court of Insolvency for said county of Oxford, against the estate of Charles M. Walker of Newry, adjudged to be an insolvent debtor, on petition of said debtor, which petition was filed on the second day of July, A. D. 1890, to which last named date interest on claims is to be computed;

That the payment of any debts and the delivery and transfer of any property belonging to said debtor, to him or for his use, and the delivery and transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law.

That a meeting of the creditors of said debtor, to prove their debts and choose one or more Assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Insolvency, to be holden at Paris, in said county, on the 20th day of August, A. D. 1890, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon.

Given under my hand the date first above written.
ALVAN B. GODWIN, *Dep'y Sheriff*
as Messenger of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Oxford. 30-32

STATE OF MAINE.

OXFORD, ss:—Court of Insolvency.
Third Wednesday of July, A. D. 1890.
In the matter of Wm. H. Adams, Insolvent Debtor.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, That notice be given to all persons interested in the settlement of the final account of Jonathan Blake, Assignee of the above named insolvent debtor, by causing a copy of this order to be published two weeks successively, in the Oxford Co. Advertiser, a newspaper printed in Norway, in said county, that they may appear at a Court of Insolvency to be held at the Probate Court Room on the third Wednesday of August next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon, and object if they see cause.
GEO. A. WILSON, Judge
30-31 of Insolvency Court, Oxford County.
A true copy—Attest: H. C. DAVIS, Register.

OXFORD, ss.—At a Court of Probate, held at Paris, within and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of July, A. D. 1890.

On the petition of HENRY M. BEARCE, Administrator with the will annexed, of the last Will and Testament of Marcellus Whitcomb, late of Norway, in said county, deceased, praying for license to sell and convey all the real estate of said deceased, at public or private sale, for the payment of debts and incidental charges:

ORDERED, That the said Petitioner give notice to all persons interested, by causing an abstract of his petition, with this order thereon, to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford Co. Advertiser, a newspaper printed at Norway, in said county, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Paris, on the third Tuesday of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be granted.
30-32 GEO. A. WILSON, Judge.
A true copy—Attest: H. C. DAVIS, Register.

The subscriber hereby gives public notice that he has been duly appointed by the Honorable Judge of Probate for the County of Oxford and assumed the trust of Administrator of the estate of AGNES MASON, late of Bethel, in said County, deceased, by giving bond as the law directs; he therefore requests all persons indebted to the estate of said deceased to make immediate payment, and those who have any demands thereon to exhibit the same to
WM. W. MASON.
July 15, 1890. 30-32

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NORWAY AND VICINITY.

and Mrs. Littleton Holden a spending the summer in the country. Frank Knight of Manchester, Ma was in town Saturday.

Four cans of corn for 25 cts. at C. Tubbs & Co.

Julia Hall is spending a part of vacation at her home in East Waterfo

Mrs. Arthur C. Green has gone to R bury, Mass.

W. E. Foss and family visited the pa week in Harpswell.

The W. R. C. have their regular me ing next Wednesday night.

Mrs. Dora Small has moved from th New Grange Block to the rent in C. Haskell's house.

Mrs. S. W. Snow and Cora Shedd a at Old Orchard the guests of Mrs. Je Swain.

Mrs. J. J. Hayden has gone to Ma chester, Mass., to visit her daught Mrs. Frank Knight.

Chas. Rawson, who lives in the Pack ard house on Paris Street, is sick wit scarlet fever.

A little son of George Fogg on Ma street is reported sick with typho

Mrs. Elbridge Greenleaf and daught of Auburn visited at Mrs. Pauli Farrar's.

Lizzie Whitmarsh is visiting in Law rence, Mass. She has been there severa weeks.

New England mince meat makes th best mince pies and C. N. Tubbs & Co have it, package.

Vivian Howard brought some string beans from his garden to the village fo

Brown's Instant Relief has proved it self to be a sure cure for indigestion if you will follow directions.

Edw. A. Morse, who has been sick several months, was able to ride to the village Monday.

Misses May and Bertha Holden from the West are at Old Orchard with thei cousin, Gracie Holden of Norway.

The tannery bark house caught fire Saturday night. The alarm was given a little before midnight. The fire was extinguished with but little damage.

The reunion of the Bolster family took place at Gibson's Grove Thursday, last week. There were about twenty-five the company.

S. H. Needham of Cherry Dale Farm, presented the ADVERTISER with a box of his nice large cherries Friday. They were fine. Mr. Needham had corn silked the 21st of last month.

About sixty-five attended the Baptist circle at Mrs. Faunce's, at Pine Lodge, Lake Pennesseewassee, on Thursday afternoon. It was one of the most enjoyable circles of the season.

C. N. Tubbs has bought the J. C. Dexter place on Elm Hill in Paris and has it and put in the barn about thirty-five tons of hay. Evidently Mr. Tubbs is getting to be quite a farmer.

Work has been suspended on the rockett Bridge till after haying, when we understand they are to further grade the approaches on either side.

Frank Faunce, a boy about twelve years old, son of F. W. Faunce of the Oxford Co. Shoe Store, was bitten by a dog recently belonging to C. A. Hemingway. The dog was killed at once.

P. H. Howe, who has heretofore kept confectionery store and J. F. Howe, a billiard hall, have exchanged business. Rowe now conducts the confectionery store. Mr. Howe has exchanged billiard tables with Freeland Howe for a horse and carriage.

Nearly two hundred attended the dance Gibson's Grove given under the auspices of the Norway Light Infantry. It was a beautiful moonlight evening and weather was perfect for out-of-door enjoyment. It is reported as one of the dances ever had in Gibson's Grove.

Arthur Woodsum of Portsmouth, N. who graduated in the Norway High School, Class of '90, and was one of the practical students in the class, has a serious illness which we understand affected his mind. His friends trust, however, he may soon entirely recover.

Frank Mayo badly cut three fingers on right hand Wednesday in a molding machine at the shoe factory. The second finger had to be amputated and he will probably lose his next to the little one. fore finger it is thought will be A sole got caught and he put his hand in to fix it without stopping the machine.

W. C. Blossom, foreman of the changing department at the shoe factory, a severe cold when the gas house at shoe factory caught fire a few weeks and has been far from well since. quently he is unable to work only a of the day. Mrs. Blossom, who, her son George has been visiting parents in the Provinces, has returned. George is still visiting his grandparents.

bustle has been found and left at the ADVERTISER office. It is of the "Genuine field and Langtry" variety. We are hunting for an owner. No questions be asked if someone will only take off our hands. Perhaps it would be fair not to state that this was picked on the street and brought to us by of our leading lawyers. Honesty should be rewarded.

Mark E. Young, who went from here Colorado for his health, writes he is gaining very slowly, and is able to sit up some now. He is at the Sister's Hospital, Pueblo, Colo. At the place where first went the altitude was too high him in his feeble condition and caused heart trouble. He is in hopes to gain after the hot weather is over, it ranging now from 98 to 106 degrees and July 4th 114 degrees there.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Blake were out Sunday. A thill bolt broke and horse turning suddenly round threw them both out. Mrs. Blake had an arm broken and was considerably bruised otherwise. It is feared her back is seriously injured. Mr. Blake escaped with slight injuries. Fortunately the horse though a spirited animal did not run. accident occurred near A. M. Dunham's and the horse was walking when thills dropped and hit him.

"I've got five cents," shouted a little to a playmate one day as we were going down street. Wonder what he is to do with that five cents we thought. What is he so ambitious to for he was going as fast as he could spend it. A few minutes later we returned. We saw the same boy and every on the street turned to look at him so did we, but he did not heed us. In hands he held a very large beer bottle compared to the boy's size, and every steps he would stop, press it to his youthful lips and "take a swig." Entire satisfaction beamed all over his little

One of the pleasantest places to look at warm days on Main street is the plot of ground in front of Benj Ba 's house filled with thrifty flowers. It is only a few feet square with a wire fence to separate it from the walk shaded by buildings on three but it is full of large beautiful blossoms, a perfect wilderness of many They look so cool and fresh seem to so enjoy growing that they hardly be kept within their limited This can also be said of the vines with their rank thick foliage completely screen the piazza from the passer by. What is surprising is that these plants are that one would hardly suppose would live.

Elliott's clothing store was broken Saturday night. It was not discovered about noon Sunday when Mr. to the store and found every confusion. The burglars entered a window on the back side. clothes are missing, a box of other articles of clothing. two of their old suits, and the they were in showed plainly burglars needed new clothes. had been lighted were scattered the store and a lamp they had found in the cellar. Detective was at once employed to It was found that a man on an up freight train last got asleep and was carried to There the people contributed enough to buy him a ticket Danville Junction. The man to have a sore hand. The which the sore was dressed in Mr. Elliott's store, also the was punched only to South ticket is the only one that from West Paris to Danville that date, so doubtless one of his man. He is described as a complexioned man and it is one is in Bangor. One suit selected at Mr. Elliott's store reason left, was small in carefully replaced the window they left the store.